

*Bernard E. Shaw
Do Carver*



ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS
OF THE
TOWN of CARVER
MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31

1937

Annual Town Meeting, March 7, 1938
at 8:45 a. m.

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RESOLUTION

Whereas;

Circumstances of ill health caused our venerable and beloved townsman,

Mr. Henry S. Griffith,

to retire from the offices of Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes of Carver after serving for 44 years continuously as Town Clerk, and the last 32 years in the combined offices of Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes;
Therefore be it resolved;

That, we the citizens of Carver being in Town Meeting Assembled on this first day of March in the year of our Lord 1937, do here and now on the last day of his long term in the above mentioned offices, take recognition of what we believe to be a record in the Town of Carver, if not in the Commonwealth of Mr. Henry S. Griffith in having held public office for so long a term of years continuously.
And be it again resolved;

That the sincere thanks of the Town and its heartfelt gratitude for the faithful services so honorably and unstintingly rendered, be extended to him by a rising vote of those present at this Town Meeting.

And be it further resolved;

That as we miss him at his accustomed place with us today, this resolution be inscribed upon the Minutes of this Town Meeting and a true copy be sent to him and his wife with the sincere wishes for the happiness and peace of mind he so justly deserves.

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OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES FOR THE YEAR 1937

Moderator—Frank E. Barrows.

Town Clerk, Treasurer and Collector of Taxes—Henry S. Griffith. (March 1, 1937) Jack L. Martin.

Auditors—Arthur G. Burbank, Harrison W. Jordan, Kenneth E. Shaw.

Selectmen—Earl B. Ware (1938), Arthur W. Peterson (1939), Allen A. MacDonald, (resigned June 1, 1937), Bernard W. Roby (1940).

Board of Public Welfare—Selectmen.

Assessors—Arthur H. Wade (1938), William M. Shaw (1939), Ralph E. Washburn (1940).

School Committee—Clyde D. Griffith (1938) Eleanor L. Shaw (1939), Russell E. Shaw (1940).

Park Commissioners—James S. McKay (1938), Frank E. Barrows (1939), Henry S. Griffith (1940 served until April 26, 1937), Levi T. Thomas (appointed to serve until 1938).

Cemetery Commissioners—Frank E. Barrows (1938) Ralph L. Linton (1939), James H. Peckham (1940).

Library Trustees—Henry M. Shaw (1938), Marjorie E. Telfer (1938), Myrtle L. Atwood (1939), Viola Griffith (1939), Elthea E. Atwood (1940), William M. Shaw (1940).

Constables—Edwin E. Bisbee, William E. Holmes, Harry C. Morris.

Town Director—County Aid to Agriculture—Almira C. Holmes.

Field Drivers and Pound Keepers—Edwin E. Bisbee, William E. Holmes, Harry C. Morris.

Fence Viewers—Jesse A. Holmes, Arthur W. Peterson, Herbert A. Stanly.

Surveyors of Lumber and Measurers of Wood—Frank H. Cole, Jesse A. Holmes, Frank F. Weston.

Tree Warden—John F. Tubman.

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Chief of Police—Myron H. Hayden.

Superintendent of Streets—Frank F. Weston.

Inspector of Animals—Hillery J. Bergman.

Inspector of Slaughtering—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Sealer of Weights and Measures—Edwin E. Bisbee.

Forest Warden and Gypsy Moth Superintendent—John F. Tubman.

Special Police Officers—Alden Sissons, Middleboro, Russell Dearborn, Robert Fogarty, Plymouth, Harry C. Morris, Ralph L. Linton, Edwin E. Bisbee, William E. Holmes, Chesley H. Knowlton, Walter L. Ellis, John W. Morse, Alex Carlson, Thomas L. Kenney, Merton T. Griffith.

Public Safety Committee—Myron H. Hayden, chairman, Neil D. Murray, Warren L. Chandler.

Finance Committee—Terms expire in 1938; John E. Johnson, Warren L. Chandler, William E. W. Vaughan, †Grace H. Burgess, Walter R. Carmichael. Terms expire in 1939, Jesse A. Holmes, Jay A. Ward, Richard M. Smalley, Ernest W. Shaw, *Earl E. Boardway. Terms expire in 1940 Andrew F. Griffith, Almira C. Holmes, Eldred S. Mosher, Russell E. Appling, Frank H. Cole.

*Resigned, Ellis D. Atwood appointed March 29, 1937.

†Resigned, Edward S. Griffith appointed April 20, 1937.

CONDITION OF THE TOWN TREASURY
AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS DEC. 31, 1937

Assets

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Cash | \$26,638.82 | |
| Outstanding Taxes 1937 | 9,833.10 | |
| Outstanding Taxes 1936 | 480.93 | |
| Outstanding Excise Taxes 1937 | 1,054.93 | |
| Outstanding Excise Taxes 1936 | 88.92 | |
| Overdrafts | 3,553.71 | |
| Chap. 81, (due from State) | 36.27 | |
| Appropriations of Dec. 18 | 2,500.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$44,186.68 |

Liabilities

| | | |
|----------------------|-----------|-------------|
| Overlay 1937 | \$461.22 | |
| Overlay 1936 | 373.54 | |
| Overlay Reserve | 1,572.25 | |
| Unexpended accounts | 2,705.12 | |
| Florenz Pina account | 315.50 | |
| Balance | 38,759.05 | |
| | <hr/> | \$44,186.68 |

JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer

KENNETH E. SHAW,
HARRISON W. JORDAN,
ARTHUR G. BURBANK,
Auditors.

TREASURER'S REPORT

HENRY S. GRIFFITH, Treasurer.

Dr.

| | | |
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| 1937 | | |
| Jan. 1. | Balance from 1936 | \$34,137.63 |
| Received from Commonwealth: | | |
| | Highways (contract 2762) | 1,612.00 |
| | U. S. Grants, Old Age Assist, (assist.) | 258.50 |
| | U. S. Grants, Old Age Assist. (admin.) | 8.61 |
| | County of Plymouth, Dog Fund | 269.44 |
| | Fourth District Court, fines | 22.00 |
| | Town Clerk, Sporting Licences | |
| | Fees, | \$7.25 |
| | Dog Licenses, fees | .20 |
| | Miscellaneous | 1.00 |
| | | <hr/> 8.45 |
| | Town Clerk, Dog Fund | 1.80 |
| | Town Clerk, Sporting License fund | 85.50 |
| | Town Clerk, Chattel Mortgage fees | 2.00 |
| | W. E. W. Vaughan, Tr. Pratt school fund | 59.69 |
| | Mrs. Robert E. Hill, Central Cemetery fund | 15.00 |
| | E. S. Mosher, John Snow Cemetery fund | 100.00 |
| | Hall Rent | 2.50 |
| | Unidentified Receipts | 4.43 |
| | Town Scraper | 50.00 |
| | U. S. Army C. C. C., gravel | 24.50 |
| | Tax Collector, Interest on Taxes | 25.36 |
| | Interest on Excise taxes | 2.11 |
| | Excise Tax 1936 | 174.20 |
| | Excise Tax 1935 | 6.73 |

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| Poll and Property Tax 1936 | 1,675.79 |
| Poll and Property Tax 1935 | 77.17 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$38,623.41 |

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|----------------------------|-------------|
| Town Orders | \$4,709.77 |
| School Orders | 2,334.85 |
| Vocational Education | 16.00 |
| Div. of Fisheries and Game | 85.50 |
| Land Damage, Purchase St. | 88.35 |
| Excise Refunds | 6.31 |
| Balance Feb. 27, 1937 | 31,382.63 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$38,623.41 |

JACK L. MARTIN, Treasurer

Dr.

1937

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| March 1 Balance from Henry S. Griffith | \$31,382.63 |
| Received from Commonwealth: | |
| Highways, Chap. 81 | \$10,013.70 |
| Highways, Chap. 90 | 2,799.92 |
| Income Taxes | 9,633.82 |
| Corporation Taxes, business | 41.37 |
| Corporation Taxes, Gas, | |
| Elec. Lt. etc. | 1,656.11 |
| Corp. Taxes, Gas, Elec. Lt., | |
| interest | .56 |
| Old Age Assistance | 2,175.10 |
| Temporary Aid | 809.51 |
| State Aid | 70.00 |
| School Supt., small Towns | 644.45 |
| Transportation High School | |
| Pupils | 3,467.01 |
| Tuition of Children | 425.85 |
| Loss of Taxes | 194.50 |
| Burial of Indigent person | 40.00 |

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| Public Health Subsidy | 350.71 | |
| Aid to Independent Industrial schools | 105.74 | |
| | <hr/> | \$32,428.35 |
| U. S. Grant Old Age Assist. (assist.) | \$3,708.19 | |
| U. S. Grant Old Age Assist. (admin.) | 123.56 | |
| | <hr/> | \$3,831.75 |
| U. S. Grants Mothers' Aid | | 20.00 |
| County of Plymouth, Purchase St. | \$1,399.95 | |
| Land Damage, Purchase St. | 454.76 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,854.71 |
| Fourth District Court, fines | | 15.00 |
| Myrtle L. Atwood, Library fines | | 10.07 |
| Town Clerk, Marriage, fees | \$42.00 | |
| Sporting Licenses, fees | 27.25 | |
| Dog Licenses, fees | 29.20 | |
| Miscellaneous fees | 16.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$114.45 |
| Town Clerk, Dog fund | | 342.80 |
| Town Clerk, Chattel Mortgage fees | | 3.50 |
| Town Clerk, Sporting License fund | | 223.00 |
| Rosa A. Cole, Library Fund | | 41.71 |
| Wm. E. W. Vaughan, Tr. Pratt School Fund | | 78.55 |
| Director of Standards, Pedlar's licenses | | 18.00 |
| Sale of lead | | 3.48 |
| Insurance Dividends | | 17.64 |
| Sealer's fees, Weights & Measures | | 25.87 |
| Cemetery bills, perpetual care | | 459.68 |
| Tax Title Redeemed | | 79.42 |
| Spraying bill | | 1.00 |
| Town of Plymouth, schools | \$24.00 | |
| Plympton, Use of scraper | 20.00 | |
| Hanson, Use of scraper | 39.38 | |
| Kingston, Use of scraper | 27.50 | |
| Randolph, Old Age | 70.00 | |

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| Provincetown, Old Age | 68.34 | |
| Lakeville, Old Age | 72.26 | |
| Middleboro, Old Age | 22.50 | |
| | <hr/> | \$343.98 |
| City of New Bedford, Old Age | \$34.00 | |
| City of New Bedford | 61.76 | |
| | <hr/> | \$95.76 |
| Arthur H. Wade, Central Cem. fund | \$15.00 | |
| Ralph L. Linton, Lakenham Cemetery fund | 20.00 | |
| Eliza C. Dunham, Cemetery fund | 100.00 | |
| Laura F. Atwood, Cemetery fund | 100.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$235.00 |
| Milk Licenses | | \$6.75 |
| Lord's Day permits | | 11.00 |
| Gasoline Renewals | | 15.00 |
| Victuallers' Licenses | | 12.00 |
| Fireworks Permits | | 4.00 |
| Oleomargarine Permits | | .50 |
| Pedlar's License | | 10.00 |
| Garage License | | 10.00 |
| Town Histories | | 13.25 |
| Refunds | | 47.15 |
| Exchange charge Florida check | | .15 |
| Andrew Lopes, medical care | | 31.00 |
| Florenz Pina, care at Plymouth County Hospital | 400.00 | |
| Michael Anthony, medical care | 20.00 | |
| Recording Lease | 1.00 | |
| A. D. Makepeace Co., repairing signal beacon | 51.90 | |
| Tax Collector, Interest on Taxes | 286.06 | |
| Interest on Excise | 43.22 | |
| Demand fees | 23.10 | |
| Excise Tax 1935 | 46.23 | |
| Excise Tax 1936 | 643.61 | |
| Excise Tax 1937 | 2,623.13 | |
| Poll and Property tax 1935 | 481.66 | |

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| Poll and Property tax 1936 | 4,733.26 |
| Poll and Property tax 1937 | 49,990.37 |
| Middleborough Trust Co., Revenue Loan | 20,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$151,130.69 |

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|---|--------------|
| Town Orders | \$61,043.46 |
| School Orders | 28,376.71 |
| Vocational Education | 103.40 |
| Middleborough Trust Co., Revenue Loan | 20,000.00 |
| Division of Fisheries and Game | 223.00 |
| Cemetery Bills, Perpetual care | 459.68 |
| Rosa Cole Library fund | 41.71 |
| Check Books | 4.00 |
| Exchange charges—Florida check | .15 |
| Excise Refunds | 24.06 |
| Land Damage Purchase St. | 15.30 |
| Director of Accounts—Note fee | 2.00 |
| County Tax | 5,069.33 |
| Benjamin Ellis School Loan—Notes | 2,000.00 |
| Benjamin Ellis School Loan—Interest | 85.00 |
| Revenue Loan, Interest | 83.33 |
| Plymouth County Hospital—Florenz Pina account | 84.50 |
| Central Cemetery Cemetery Fund | 30.00 |
| Lakenham Cemetery Cemetery Fund | 20.00 |
| Eliza C. Dunham Cemetery Fund | 100.00 |
| John Snow Cemetery Fund | 100.00 |
| George P. B. Atwood Cemetery Fund | 100.00 |
| State Tax | 5,512.50 |
| State—Auditing Town accounts | 535.13 |
| State—Parks and Reservations | 68.52 |
| State—Veterans Exemption | 17.04 |
| County of Plymouth—Dog fund | 346.40 |
| Mass. Dept. of Public Welfare | 46.65 |
| Balance Dec. 31, 1937 | 26,638.82 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$151,130.69 |

LIBRARY FUNDS

| Name | Principal | Bal. of Inc. | Inc. for | Exp. for | Bal. |
|-----------------|------------|--------------|----------|----------|--------------------|
| | | Jan. 1, 1937 | Year | Year | of Inc. Dec. 31 |
| Rosa A. Cole | \$1,000.00 | \$42.35 | \$31.49 | \$41.71 | \$32.13 |
| M. P. S. Jowitt | 100.00 | 10.83 | 2.78 | | 13.61 |
| | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> | <hr/> |
| | \$1,100.00 | \$53.18 | \$34.27 | \$41.71 | \$45.74 |

SARAH McFARLIN PARKWAY FUND

Dr.

| | | | | | |
|--------|----------------|--|----------|--|----------|
| 1937 | | | | | |
| Jan. 1 | Principal | | \$100.00 | | |
| | Bal. of Income | | 18.48 | | |
| | Inc. for year | | 2.97 | | |
| | | | <hr/> | | \$121.45 |

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| Dec. 31 | Dep. Middleboro | | | | |
| | Savings Bank | | \$121.45 | | |
| | | | <hr/> | | \$121.45 |

LICENSES AND PERMITS

VICTUALLER'S (\$3.00)

| | |
|----------------------|----------------|
| Harrison W. Jordan | Theo. Thomas |
| Walter R. Carmichael | C. G. Norcross |

GASOLINE RENEWALS (\$1.00)

| | |
|--------------------------|---------------------|
| Harrison W. Jordan | John O. Eaton |
| Walter R. Carmichael (2) | Lewis W. Jenney (2) |
| Walter L. Ellis | Arnold B. Adams |
| John B. Bourget | Roger Williams |
| Henry S. Pink (2) | Joseph Moreau |
| Emma E. Roby (2) | |

OLEOMARGARINE PERMITS (\$0.50)

Henry S. Pink

FIREWORKS PERMITS (\$1.00)

Henry S. Pink

Ernest Gonsalves

Walter R. Carmichael

Bernard W. Roby

LORD'S DAY PERMITS (\$1.00)

John O. Eaton

Walter R. Carmichael

Lewis W. Jenney

Emma E. Roby

Roger Williams

Ernest Gonsalves

John B. Bourget

Manuel Roberio

Harrison W. Jordan

Theo. Thomas

John Lobo

SALE OF LEAD

Arthur W. Peterson

\$2.28

Napoleon Dionne

1.20

CONDITION OF CEMETERY FUNDS FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1937

CENTRAL CEMETERY

| Name | Principal | Bal. of Inc. | Inc. for | Exp. for | Bal. |
|---------------------|-------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|-------------------|
| | | Jan. 1 1937 | year | year | Dec. 31st 1937 |
| John B. Hatch | \$100.00 | \$3.63 | \$3.13 | \$3.45 | \$3.31 |
| Wilson Shaw | 100.00 | 3.63 | 3.13 | 3.15 | 3.61 |
| Clara M. Benson | 100.00 | 1.25 | 3.05 | 1.25 | 3.05 |
| E. L. Griffith | 100.00 | 3.62 | 2.59 | 2.95 | 3.26 |
| Issac Vaughan | 200.00 | 6.58 | 5.19 | 5.75 | 6.02 |
| Catharine L. Gray | 75.00 | 2.64 | 2.33 | 2.40 | 2.57 |
| Betsy C. Look | 100.00 | 3.74 | 2.86 | 3.45 | 3.15 |
| D. W. Nash | 100.00 | 3.43 | 2.85 | 3.25 | 3.03 |
| Isaac Shaw | 100.00 | 3.55 | 3.13 | 3.25 | 3.43 |
| Linus Shaw | 100.00 | 3.83 | 2.86 | 3.50 | 3.19 |
| Theodore T. Vaughan | 200.00 | 14.99 | 6.48 | 14.85 | 6.62 |
| L. A. F. Baker | 150.00 | 5.35 | 4.69 | 5.00 | 5.04 |
| Sarah S. Nash | 100.00 | 3.63 | 3.13 | 3.20 | 3.56 |
| John A. Thomas | 100.00 | 3.58 | 2.59 | 3.50 | 2.67 |
| Horatio A. Lucas | 100.00 | 3.65 | 2.59 | 3.50 | 2.74 |
| Eben S. Lucas | 100.00 | 3.40 | 3.11 | 3.00 | 3.51 |
| Aravesta B. Shaw | 100.00 | 4.05 | 3.14 | 4.00 | 3.19 |
| Thomas Vaughan | 200.00 | 12.29 | 5.33 | 11.85 | 5.77 |
| James A. Vaughan | 200.00 | 6.69 | 5.19 | 6.50 | 5.38 |
| Albert T. Shurtleff | 200.00 | 6.65 | 5.19 | 6.00 | 5.84 |
| Benjamin Shurtleff | 100.00 | 3.91 | 2.60 | 3.55 | 2.96 |
| John Snow | 100.00 | | 1.04 | | 1.04 |
| Central Cemetery | 75.00 | | 1.02 | | 1.02 |
| Fred A. Dimond | 50.00 | .77 | 1.94 | .65 | 2.06 |
| | <u>\$2,850.00</u> | <u>\$104.86</u> | <u>\$79.16</u> | <u>\$98.00</u> | <u>\$86.02</u> |

LAKENHAM CEMETERY

| | | | | | |
|---------------------|----------|---------|--------|--------|---------|
| Jennie E. Robbins | \$100.00 | \$39.79 | \$4.21 | \$3.30 | \$40.70 |
| Augustine Shurtleff | 100.00 | 4.10 | 3.14 | *3.95 | 3.29 |
| Theron M. Cole | 100.00 | 4.11 | 2.61 | 3.00 | 3.72 |
| Morse & Dunham | 200.00 | 25.45 | 6.80 | 3.60 | 28.65 |
| Cobb & Barrows | 100.00 | 5.79 | 3.19 | 3.90 | 5.08 |
| N. M. Ransome | 200.00 | 16.19 | 6.53 | 3.90 | 18.82 |
| Edward W. King | 100.00 | 5.45 | 2.64 | 2.70 | 5.39 |
| Levi Cobb | 100.00 | 1.81 | 3.07 | 3.90 | .98 |
| L. & A. R. Eames | 100.00 | 4.57 | 2.61 | 3.60 | 3.58 |
| Joseph R. Sherman | 100.00 | 6.22 | 2.67 | 3.60 | 5.29 |
| Joseph W. Sherman | 100.00 | 4.23 | 2.87 | 3.60 | 3.50 |
| Gustavus L. Swift | 200.00 | 23.96 | 5.62 | 3.60 | 25.98 |
| Mary A. Shurtleff | 100.00 | 3.48 | 2.86 | 3.30 | 3.04 |
| Henry Sherman | 130.00 | 9.12 | 4.21 | 4.20 | 9.13 |
| Joseph B. Rickard | 150.00 | 17.59 | 5.06 | 4.20 | 18.45 |
| L. Braddock | 100.00 | 12.82 | 2.83 | 3.60 | 12.05 |
| E. T. Stetson | 200.00 | 262.26 | 13.97 | 17.10 | 259.13 |
| Rosa A. Cole | 1000.00 | 33.11 | 31.22 | 32.00 | 32.33 |

| Name | Principal | Bal. of Inc. | | Exp. for year | Bal. |
|---------------------|-----------|--------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|
| | | Jan. 1 1937 | Inc. for year | | Dec. 31st 1937 |
| James Dunham | 100.00 | 3.64 | 3.13 | 1.20 | 5.57 |
| Chase & Barrows | 100.00 | 5.67 | 3.19 | 1.20 | 7.66 |
| George P. B. Atwood | 100.00 | | .63 | | .63 |
| Lakenham Cemetery | 85.00 | 2.05 | 1.83 | | 3.88 |
| Timothy Cobb | 50.00 | 1.42 | 1.55 | | 2.97 |

\$3,615.00
\$492.83
\$116.44
\$109.45
\$499.82

*\$1.55 of this amount expended on lot in Central Cemetery.

UNION CEMETERY

| | | | | | |
|----------------------|----------|---------|--------|--------|---------|
| Hannah P. Richards | \$100.00 | \$73.10 | \$4.35 | \$5.00 | \$72.45 |
| Rufus L. Richards | 100.00 | 48.34 | 3.73 | | 52.07 |
| Irene A. Bent | 100.00 | 20.93 | 3.03 | | 23.96 |
| Alexander Law | 100.00 | 3.96 | 2.60 | 3.00 | 3.56 |
| Eliza A. Bowers | 200.00 | 10.81 | 5.29 | 2.80 | 13.30 |
| Thomas B. Griffith | 1000.00 | 336.76 | 38.41 | 48.58 | 326.59 |
| Hannah B. Shaw | 1000.00 | 40.52 | 26.16 | | 66.68 |
| Marcus Atwood | 200.00 | 123.25 | 9.77 | 3.00 | 130.02 |
| Charles W. Griffith | 500.00 | 132.87 | 19.11 | 6.00 | 145.98 |
| Philander W. Bump | 100.00 | 35.46 | 4.09 | 6.00 | 33.55 |
| Ellis Griffith | 200.00 | 117.96 | 9.59 | 5.00 | 122.55 |
| Albert W. Perkins | 100.00 | 43.09 | 4.33 | 5.00 | 42.42 |
| Joseph Pratt | 500.00 | 556.67 | 31.92 | 9.30 | 579.29 |
| Ebenezer Smith | 100.00 | 17.47 | 2.94 | 5.00 | 15.41 |
| John A. Winberg | 100.00 | 3.51 | 3.13 | 5.00 | 1.64 |
| Olive B. Leonard | 100.00 | 46.56 | 4.41 | 6.00 | 44.97 |
| Charles Donnelly | 100.00 | 9.94 | 3.31 | 3.00 | 10.25 |
| Sarah McFarlin | 100.00 | 8.30 | 2.71 | 3.00 | 8.01 |
| Stephen Atwood | 200.00 | 19.26 | 6.26 | 5.00 | 20.88 |
| John J. Barrows | 100.00 | 8.87 | 3.27 | 5.00 | 7.14 |
| Lucius Atwood | 100.00 | 7.82 | 2.70 | 3.00 | 7.52 |
| Frank F. Tillson | 100.00 | 15.57 | 2.90 | 5.00 | 13.47 |
| Clarence H. Knowlton | 100.00 | 13.99 | 3.43 | 3.00 | 14.42 |
| Wilfred A. Tillson | 100.00 | 11.44 | 2.79 | 5.00 | 9.23 |
| Josiah W. Atwood | 200.00 | 14.73 | 5.39 | 5.00 | 15.12 |
| Oren Atwood | 200.00 | 12.84 | 5.34 | 5.00 | 13.18 |
| Lothrop A. Hayden | 100.00 | 5.81 | 2.92 | 3.00 | 5.73 |
| Samuel A. Shurtleff | 200.00 | 13.51 | 5.90 | 9.00 | 10.46 |
| Stillman Shaw | 150.00 | 4.62 | 3.88 | 5.00 | 3.50 |
| Samuel Shaw | 150.00 | 4.98 | 3.88 | 5.00 | 3.86 |
| Henry C. Washburn | 100.00 | 12.01 | 3.38 | 3.00 | 12.39 |
| Jane G. Burgess | 100.00 | 12.51 | 3.39 | 3.00 | 12.90 |
| Alfred M. Shaw | 100.00 | 10.48 | 3.33 | 3.00 | 10.81 |
| Ephraim Griffith | 100.00 | 3.30 | 3.11 | 4.00 | 2.41 |
| Charles A. Perkins | 200.00 | 16.54 | 5.44 | 3.00 | 18.98 |
| A. Sampson Perkins | 100.00 | 7.65 | 2.69 | 3.00 | 7.34 |
| Henry M. Gammons | 100.00 | 3.25 | 2.59 | 3.00 | 2.84 |
| John S. Atwood | 100.00 | 6.08 | 2.67 | 3.00 | 5.75 |
| Andrew M. Bumpus | 100.00 | 3.45 | 2.59 | 3.00 | 3.04 |
| Alice G. Shaw | 100.00 | 7.89 | 2.70 | 3.00 | 7.59 |
| Mildred V. Wallace | 100.00 | 6.33 | 2.67 | 3.00 | 6.00 |
| Ellis D. Atwood | 200.00 | 20.95 | 6.66 | 2.00 | 25.61 |
| Alton H. Griffith | 100.00 | 2.40 | 3.08 | 3.00 | 2.48 |

| Name | Principal | Bal. of Inc. | Inc. for | Exp. for | Bal. |
|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------------------------------|
| | | Jan. 1 1937 | year | year | of Inc. Dec. 31st 1937 |
| S. Dexter Atwood | 200.00 | 10.45 | 5.29 | 3.00 | 12.74 |
| Hugh R. Bailey | 200.00 | 14.44 | 5.39 | 2.00 | 17.83 |
| Eli Southworth | 100.00 | 4.92 | 2.63 | 2.00 | 5.55 |
| Peleg McFarlin | 100.00 | 3.48 | 3.13 | 4.00 | 2.61 |
| Elijah H. Thomas | 130.00 | 4.27 | 3.37 | | 7.64 |
| Cobb & Shurtleff | 1000.00 | 5.41 | 30.38 | 10.55 | 25.24 |
| Preston Manter | 100.00 | | 2.25 | | 2.25 |
| Frederick Anderson | 100.00 | | 2.08 | | 2.08 |
| | <u>\$9,830.00</u> | <u>\$1,918.80</u> | <u>\$326.72</u> | <u>\$234.23</u> | <u>\$2,011.29</u> |

WENHAM CEMETERY

| | | | | | |
|------------------|-----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Mary E. Forbes | \$100.00 | \$23.65 | \$3.10 | \$4.50 | \$22.25 |
| Reuben Sherman | 100.00 | 3.86 | 2.60 | 2.00 | 4.46 |
| Julia F. Hammond | 100.00 | 12.01 | 2.81 | 3.50 | 11.32 |
| Sarah A. Hammond | 100.00 | 9.72 | 3.31 | 3.50 | 9.53 |
| Henry T. Hammond | 100.00 | 19.25 | 3.61 | 4.50 | 18.36 |
| Eliza C. Dunham | 100.00 | | .63 | | .63 |
| | <u>\$600.00</u> | <u>\$68.49</u> | <u>\$16.06</u> | <u>\$18.00</u> | <u>\$66.55</u> |

SUMMARY

| | | | | | |
|----------|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Central | \$2,850.00 | \$104.86 | \$79.16 | \$98.00 | \$86.02 |
| Lakenham | 3,615.00 | 492.83 | 116.44 | 109.45 | 499.82 |
| Union | 9,830.00 | 1,918.80 | 326.72 | 234.23 | 2,011.29 |
| Wenham | 600.00 | 68.49 | 16.06 | 18.00 | 66.55 |
| | <u>\$16,895.00</u> | <u>\$2,584.98</u> | <u>\$538.38</u> | <u>\$459.68</u> | <u>\$2,663.68</u> |

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

| Year | 3 Warrants | Collected | Abated | Tax Titles | Outstanding Dec. 31, 1937 |
|------|-----------------------------|-------------|----------|------------|------------------------------|
| 1937 | \$60,047.89 | \$49,990.37 | \$209.72 | \$14.70 | \$9,833.10 |
| | Jan. 1, 1937 Outstanding | | | | |
| 1936 | 7,149.05 | 6,409.05 | 256.89 | 2.18 | 480.93 |
| 1935 | 636.68 | 558.83 | 75.50 | 2.35 | |

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE

| Year | 3 Warrants | Collected | Refunds | Abated | Outstanding Dec. 31, 1937 |
|------|---|------------|---------|---------|------------------------------|
| 1937 | \$3,709.30 | \$2,600.74 | \$22.39 | \$31.24 | \$1,054.93 |
| | Outstanding Jan. 1, 1937 | | | | |
| 1936 | 710.76 | | | | |
| | 199.32 —1936 warrant issued Jan. 20, 1937 | | | | |
| | <hr/> | | | | |
| | 910.08 | 809.83 | 7.98 | 3.35 | 88.92 |
| 1935 | 116.96 | 52.96 | | 64.00 | |

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

EXCERPTS FROM TOWN MEETING RECORDS 1937

(March 1)

Voted to accept the following cemetery funds;

| | |
|--------------------|----------|
| Frederick Anderson | \$100.00 |
| Preston Manter | 100.00 |
| John Snow | 100.00 |

Voted that the dog fund be appropriated for the free public library account.

Voted that the part of old Federal Road between Cranberry Road and Mayflower Road be discontinued.

Voted to lay on the table article calling for the purchase of a new road roller.

Voted concerning town establishing a road machinery fund, No 37—Yes 26.

Voted that a highway surveyor be elected annually, Yes 86—No 57. To become effective at the Annual Town Meeting in 1938.

It was voted to send Mr. and Mrs. Henry S. Griffith a resolution commending Mr. Griffith for his services as a Town official, and a rising vote of thanks was taken. A copy of the resolution was placed in the Town Records.

MARCH 8 ADJOURNED MEETING

Voted to amend article 19, and the following committee appointed by the Moderator

*Allen A. MacDonald, Chairman
Russell E. Shaw, School Committee
Eldred S. Mosher, Finance Committee
Kenneth E. Shaw
William I. Ward

*Resigned, Earl B. Ware appointed July 20, 1937

Voted to replace posts, repair and paint fence on the line between Central Cemetery and Shurtleff Park.

Voted to purchase a portion of the "Shurtleff Estate" on the south-westerly side of Central Cemetery for the purpose of enlarging the cemetery. The following committee was authorized with full power to acquire this land.

William E. W. Vaughan
Eldred S. Mosher
Ernest W. Shaw

The following committee was appointed to investigate the advisability of discontinuing the present gas traffic lights at Center and South Carver.

Carroll D. Griffith
Bernard W. Roby
Norman V. Holmes
Myron H. Hayden
Frank F. Weston

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING APRIL 5

Committee to report on advisability of purchasing new seats for the Town Hall auditorium, appointed by the Moderator.

Walter L. Ellis, chairman
William H. Stoddard
Donald H. Bailey

Committee to amend or change By-Laws, appointed by the Moderator.

Allen A. MacDonald, chairman
Rodney N. Griffith
William H. Harriman
Thomas L. Kenney
Russell E. Appling

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING DECEMBER 18

Town By-Laws adopted,—

Article 13

Section 1.

That the Annual Town Meeting for the election of officers shall be held on the first Monday in March in each year, and that the polls shall open at Two o'clock P. M. and shall be held open for at least four hours.

Section 2.

That the Business Meeting for acting on the articles in the Town Warrant and appropriations of the Town Meeting shall be held at a later date which shall be within ten days from the date of the election of officers and shall be called at Nine o'clock A. M.

Article 14

That the Members of the Finance Committee shall be appointed by the Moderator as provided for in the By-Laws as appear under the date of April 14th 1933 and we recommend that no member of the Finance Committee after having served the three year period shall be eligible for appointment to said Committee until after one year shall have passed.

BIRTHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1937

| Date | Name | Parents | Nativity of Parents |
|---------|-----------------------------------|--|--|
| Jan. 30 | Jonathan Austin Perkins* | George A. Perkins Myrtle Mossman | Carver Plymouth |
| Feb. 2 | Female | | |
| Feb. 23 | Kenneth Paul Gholson * | Amon Gholson Eileen Storey | Illinois Carver |
| Mar. 12 | George Bradford Williams* | Robert D. Williams Ingrid W. Carlson | Carver Finland |
| Apr. 6 | Male | | |
| Apr. 29 | Infant Barry* | Francis D. Barry Alice Collins | Somerset Fall River |
| Apr. 30 | Female* | | |
| May 1 | Manuel Pina | Theodore Pina Amelia Perry | Cape De Verde Is. New Bedford |
| May 19 | ———— Ausman* | George Ausman Judith Maki | Homer, N. Y. Quincy |
| May 28 | Robert Francis Shurtleff, Jr.* | Robert F. Shurtleff Helen A. DeFelice | Plympton Kingston |
| June 10 | Jerome Richard Santos | John Duce Santos Rosemond Viola Monteiro | Fogo, Cape DeVerde Is. Boston |
| June 13 | Bertha Mary Santos | Lawrence Santos Rose Costa | Fogo, Cape DeVerde Is. Wareham |
| June 14 | Shirley Ann Gonsalves* | Manuel Gomes Gonsalves Laura Rogers Gonsalves | New Bedford Cape Verde Is. |
| July 6 | ———— Mosher* | John S. Mosher Mabel Lamb | Carver Plymouth |
| July 30 | Irene Amado | Joseph B. Amado Ida Gonsalves | Fogo, Cape Verde Is. Carver |
| Aug. 6 | Joan Mosher* | Eldred Seldon Mosher Marjorie Dempsey | Carver Carver |
| Aug. 10 | Jean Mary Caron* | Leo Caron Gladys Moreau | Fall River Hanson |
| Aug. 19 | ———— Nason* | Albert L. Nason Evelyn Thomas | Whitman Carver |
| Oct. 20 | Julia Silva | Arthur Martin Silva Dipordina Furtache | Fogo, Cape DeVerde Is. Fogo, Cape DeVerde Is. |
| Nov. 1 | Male | | |
| Nov. 24 | Richard Edward Green* | Albert Green Irene Garnet | Plymouth Carver |

* Born in Hospitals

MARRIAGES RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE
YEAR 1937.

- Jan. 1 Eugene B. Adams, Jr., of Plymouth and Bertha
M. Ewald (Pierson), of Plymouth.
- Mar. 15 Eldred S. Mosher, Jr., and Marjorie Dempsey.
- Mar. 20 William R. MacKenzie, and Geneva M. Goff, of
Taunton.
- Mar. 27 Peter N. Leitao, of Wareham, and Etelvina
Rose (Gomes) of Wareham.
- Apr. 18 Manuel Maia, of Waterbury, Conn., and Jose-
phine Gertrude Gomes.
- May 1 Arnold Ilmari Paananen, and Alice Alma Gif-
ford, of Fairhaven.
- May 1 Arthur Leland Kenney, and Alma Mary Ron-
delli, of Wareham.
- May 2 Charles Louis Bolduc, and Dorothy Alberta
Boyd, of Campello.
- May 30 Albert C. Green, of Plymouth, and Irene Nellie
Garnett.
- June 26 John Edwin Fowler, and Dorothy Mae VanDeu-
sen of Brockton.
- June 27 Franklin Pierce Wilbur, and Lillian Taylor
Arthur, of Plymouth.
- July 27 Edwin Garrison Brown, of No. Falmouth, and
Celia Frances Gammons.
- July 31 Richard Morgan Williams, of Newton and
Lottie May Davis, of Newton.
- Aug. 8 John Alfred Parker, of Middleboro, and Arlene
Frances Washburn.
- Aug. 16 Robert Godfrey Erickson, and Tyyne Mary Kari
- Sept. 3 Henry Ellsworth Wood, and Eugenia Shaw
Griffith.

- Sept. 26 Herbert Elwood Clapp, of Greenbush, and Olive Mildred Chandler.
- Oct. 23 Harry Lawrence Holway, Jr., of West Barnstable, and Vieno Sophie Kallio.
- Oct. 24 Walter Edwin Miller, and Edith Katherine Tinkham, of Middleboro.
- Nov. 4 Olaf Wilson, and Genevieve Laurina Rogers, of Wareham.
- Nov. 25 Lawrence Winsor Leach, and Nellie May Gray, of Plymouth.
- Dec. 19 John Manuel Gomes, and Elsie Frances Amado.

DEATHS RECORDED IN CARVER FOR THE YEAR 1937

| Date | Name | Age | Cause of Death | Place of Birth | Place of Death | Burial | Parents | Nativity of Parents |
|---------|--------------------------|-----|--|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---|----------------------------------|
| Jan. 20 | Jenny Mary Kari | 56 | Ulcer of intestine with obstruction | Salo, Finland | Carver | Central Carver | Unknown | Unknown |
| Jan. 20 | Mabel Perry (Fields) | 46 | Mitral regurgitation | Lynn, Mass. | Carver | Oak Grove Plymouth | George W. Fields Jennie Marsden | Unknown Unknown |
| Jan. 28 | Forest L. Ensworth | 82 | Cerebral Hemorrhage | Danielson, Conn. | Middleboro | Wrentham | John Ensworth Mary Hyde | — Conn. — Conn. |
| Feb. 2 | Russell T. Morse | 54 | Primary broncho-pneumonia Lung abscess | Middleboro | Monson State Hospital | Thomas Town Middleboro | Cephas T. Morse Augusta H. Weston | Middleboro Middleboro |
| Feb. 2 | Female | | | | Carver | Union Carver | Clark Bump Caroline Westgate | Nova Scotia Nova Scotia |
| Feb. 4 | Johnathan Myrick Bump | 80 | Thrombosis (femoral artery) with gangrene Interstitial nephritis | Lakeville | Carver | Union Carver | | |
| Feb. 19 | Rosella M. Grover | 53 | 6 28 Lobar pneumonia | New Brunswick, Canada | Carver | Lakenham Carver | Joseph N. Garnet Louise A. Wilkinson | Canada Canada |
| Feb. 25 | Kenneth Paul Gholson | — | 2 Intracranial Hemorrhage | Plymouth | Jordan Hospital Plymouth | Central Carver | Amon K. Gholson Miriam E. Story | Illinois Carver |
| Mar. 4 | Manuel Santos | 47 | Arterio-sclerosis Arteriosclerotic heart disease | Fogo, Cape Verde Is. | State Hospital Taunton | St. Peter's Plymouth | Lionel Santos Leonarda Santos | Cape Verde Is. Cape Verde Is. |
| Apr. 2 | John Gomes | 87 | — — Cerebral apoplexy | Cape Verde Islands | Carver | Central Carver | Unknown Unknown | Unknown Unknown |
| Apr. 6 | Joseph D. Texiero | 41 | 7 27 Pulmonary Tuberculosis | Cape Verde Islands | State Infirmary Tewksbury | St. Joseph's Plymouth | Manuel Texiero Mary Amato | Cape Verde Is. Cape Verde Is. |
| Apr. 10 | Jennie L. Lee (Cromwell) | 47 | — — Mitral regurgitation | Plymouth | Carver | Oak Grove Plymouth | Frank Cromwell Della Bumpus | Wareham Wareham |
| Apr. 26 | Henry S. Griffith | 76 | 10 7 Carcinoma of parotid gland | Carver | Carver | Union Carver | Andrew Griffith Martha Shaw | Carver Carver |
| Apr. 30 | Female | | | | Carver | | | |

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|---------|---------------------------|---------|---|--------------------------|---|--------------------------|--|
| Apr. 30 | Barry | 8 hours | Status thymo lymphaticus | New Bedford | St. Lukes Hospital Plymouth County Hosp. | Union Carver | Somerset Fall River |
| May 1 | Almedo Silva | 12 | Tuberculosis of the lungs | Carver | Carver | St. Joseph's Plymouth | Cape Verde Is. Cape Verde Is. |
| May 5 | Alfredo Barros Cardoza | 51 | Natural causes Probably heart | Fogo, Cape Verde Is. | Carver | St. Patrick's Wareham | Unknown Cape Verde Is. |
| June 7 | Frances Maria Judson | 86 | 2 23 Carcinoma of Stomach | Deerfield, New Hampshire | New Carver | Lakenham Carver | Warren M. Pettingill Martha Southwick New Hampshire |
| July 11 | William F. Atwood | 82 | 5 4 Paralysis Agitans Arteriosclerosis | Middleboro | Carver | Union Carver | Asph. Atwood Amelia Lincoln Vermont |
| July 22 | Rafael Barros | 43 | Coronary heart disease probably leutic | Fogo Cape Verde Is. | Carver | St. Joseph's Plymouth | Filemo Barros Demeciana de Barros Cape Verde Is. |
| Aug. 14 | Levi Frank Morse | 76 | 0 25 Mitral regurgitation | Middleboro | Carver | Lakenham Carver | Cephas Morse Lusamah Bradford Middleboro |
| Aug. 19 | Nason | 2 | min. Prematurity | Plymouth | Jordan Hospital Plymouth | St. Joseph's Plymouth | Albert L. Nason Evelyn D. Thomas Whitman |
| Aug. 27 | Edward Morrissey | 58 | 10 26 Alcoholism | Wareham | Carver | Central Carver | Peter Morrissey Mary O'Hare Ireland |
| Sept 10 | Manuel Gonsalves | 49 | 5 8 Aortic regurgitation with decompensation | Brava Cape Verde Is. | State Infirmary Tewkebury | St. Patrick's Wareham | John Gonsalves Cape Verde Is. Cape Verde Is. |
| Sept 17 | Domingo Enos | 58 | Bilateral Hemorrhage in medulla of both adrenal glands | Cape Verde Is. | State Hospital Foxboro | Center Wareham | Leopoldina Anthony Enos Cape Verde Is. |
| Sept 19 | Frances M. Dunham | 53 | 4 25 Several carcinomatosis Carcinoma rt femur (metastasis from heart) | Lowell | Brooks Hospital Brookline | Union So. Carver | Maria Toner de Jesus Wolf Meyers Posen, Germany Posen, Germany |
| Oct. 29 | John Koski | 55 | Lymphoblastoma-med- istinal | Finland | Mass. General Hospital | Mt. Wollaston Quincy | Jacob Koski Finland Finland Unknown |

| Date | Name | Age | Cause of Death | Place of Birth | Place of Death | Burial | Parents | Nativity of Parents |
|---------|---------------------|----------|--|----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Nov. 1 | Male | | | | Carver | | | |
| Dec. 8 | Roy Austin | 64 | Syncope while under influence of ether given as a surgical anesthetic Presumably accidental. Cancer of cervical glands | Mt. Aye, Tenn. | Mass. Eye & Ear Infirmary | Central Carver | Unknown Unknown | Unknown Unknown |
| Dec. 9 | Abbie Simmons King | 83 or 84 | Apoplexy | Fall River | Carver | North Burial Grounds, Fall River | H. Simmons John Mercy Baker | Fall River Dartmouth |
| Dec. 11 | John August Winberg | 88 | Arteriosclerosis | Laholm, Sweden | Carver | Union So. Carver | John A. Winberg Unknown | Sweden Unknown |
| Dec. 11 | Ida Carlson | 62 | Cerebral malacia Cerebral thromboses Hypertensive Heart disease | Finland | Carver | Vine Hills Plymouth | John Rintela Unknown | Finland Finland |

HARBORERS OF DOGS IN THE YEAR 1937

| | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Alorie, John (F. Spa.) | Griffith, Henry S. |
| Amado, Joseph | Griffith, Merton T. |
| Andrade, Henry J. (2) | Griffith, Rodney N. |
| Andrews, Ida | Gonsalves, Ernest |
| Anthony, Leo | Hacking, John W. |
| Anthony, Michael | Halunen, Frank (2) |
| Atwood, Elwyn G. | Halunen, Johansed (2) |
| Bailey, Donald H. | Harju, Fiilus |
| Barnes, Earl V. | Harju, William |
| Bisbee, Edwin E. | Harriman, William H., (2 F. Spa.) |
| Blake, Alfred | Heikkila, Leonard |
| Bolduc Ammy (F.) | Holmes, Jesse A. |
| Bolduc, Joseph A. | Holmes, Russell W. |
| Bolduc, Leo (F.) | Holmes, William E. |
| Bourget, John B. (2F.) | Howes, Joseph T. |
| Braddock, Arthur T. (F.) | Jordan, Harrison W., (Kennel) |
| Braddock, James B. | Kangas, Edward |
| Braddock, Milton (F. Spa.) | Kaski, Andrew |
| Bradford, Joseph W. (3) | Kellier, Cornelius (1 M. 1 F.) |
| Brown, Celia F. | King, Susan (F. Spa.) |
| Bryant, Louis (F. Spa.) | Laine, Frank (1 M. 1 F.) |
| Bumpus, Theron M. (F.) | Lammi, Aune |
| Cherry, Charles L. | Leach, William H. |
| Corshia, Joseph | Lewis Ernest, G. (F. Spa.) |
| Costa, George | Linton, Dorothy (F. Spa.) |
| Dowler, Regina May | Lopes, Peter |
| Dunham, Mrs. Winthrop | Maguire, Anna L. |
| Eames, Andrew R., (1 M 1 F.) | Majahad, Simon |
| Enquist, Caroline | Maki, John (F. Spa.) |
| Erickson, Elias | Manseau, Adelard |
| Ferdinand, Peter | |
| Fernandez, Francisco | Mello, Manuel |
| Fernandez, Manuel | Mendes, Mary (F) |
| Fowler, Stewart S. | Miller, Charles |
| Gammons, Celia | Morris, Clifford |
| Garnett, Bessie M. (F.) | Morse, John W., (F. Spa.) |
| Garnett, Clarence (F.) | McLure, Alexander C. |
| Garnett, Melvin R. | Neimi, Carl O. |
| Gibbs, Mrs. S. B. (F. Spa.) | O'Brien, Mary C. |
| Gomes, Fred | Paananen, Andrew |
| Gomes, Louis | Paananen, Arne (1 M. 1 F.) |
| Gomes, Manuel | Paananen, Arnold |
| Gomes, Philip | Parent, Fred |
| Griffith, Andrew R. | Pementel, Ermina |
| Griffith, Carroll D. | Penti, Paul |
| Griffith, Clyde D. | Pratt, Lester E. |

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|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Raymond, H. Albert | Silva, Frank J. |
| Raymond, Robert, (1 F. 1 F. Spa.) | Silva, Manuel |
| Robbins, Mary S. | Silva, Manuel (1 M. 1 F.) |
| Robideau, Joseph (F.) | Spinola, Joseph |
| Roby, Bernard W. | Tavares, Damazio |
| Sallom, Mary E., (3) | Telfer, Robert G. |
| Savery, Ethel | Thomas, F. Martin |
| Seelman, Mrs. Frederick | Thomas, Lena K, (F.) |
| Senteo, Manuel | Tillson, Bernard E. |
| Senteo, Domingo | Thomas, Albert T. |
| Shaw, Edward E. | Tubman, John F. (1 M. 1 F.) |
| Shaw, Herbert L. | Weston, Frank F. |
| Shaw, John D. | Weston, Homer |
| Shaw, Kenneth E. | Weston, Roger |
| Shaw, Miriam W. | White, George E. (F.) |
| Shurtleff, Alton R. (2) | Wilbur, Mary |
| Shurtleff, Russell F. (2) | Wrightington, Olive (F. Spa.) |
| Shurtleff, Albert W. | Young, Herman L. |
| Silva, Arthur | |

SPORTING LICENSES ISSUED IN 1937

| | | |
|----------------------------|-------------|----------|
| Resident Citizens Fishing | 27 @ \$2.00 | \$54.00 |
| Resident Citizens Hunting | 50 @ 2.00 | 100.00 |
| Resident Citizens Sporting | 32 @ 3.25 | 104.00 |
| Women and Minors Fishing | 8 @ 1.25 | 10.00 |
| Res. Cit. Minor Trapping | 3 @ 2.25 | 6.75 |
| Resident Citizens Trapping | 10 @ 5.25 | 52.50 |
| Non-Res. Special Fishing | 7 @ 1.50 | 10.50 |
| Non-Resident Fishing | 1 @ 5.25 | 5.25 |
| Sporting Licenses Free | 9 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | 138 | \$343.00 |
| Clerk Fees | | 34.50 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$308.50 |

DOG LICENSES 1937-8

Total number Licensed 148

| | | |
|---------------|--------------|----------|
| Males | 114 @ \$2.00 | \$228.00 |
| Females | 19 @ 5.00 | 95.00 |
| Female-Spayed | 14 @ 2.00 | 28.00 |
| Kennel | 1 @ 25.00 | 25.00 |

Fees 29.60

\$346.40

Paid County \$346.40

REPORT OF AUDITORS ON THE CONDITION OF THE TOWN ACCOUNTS

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

1937

Dr.

| | | | |
|---------|------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Mar. 1 | To Appropriation | \$6,160.00 | |
| Dec. 31 | To Overdraft | 268.62 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$6,428.62 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$6,428.62 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$6,428.62 |

PUBLIC WELFARE

Dr.

| | | | |
|--------|------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$7,000.00 | |
| | To App. Overdraft 1936 | 1,502.40 | |
| | 1937 Overdraft | 2,669.38 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$11,171.78 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Jan. 1 | By Overdraft 1936 | \$1,502.40 | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | 9,669.38 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$11,171.78 |

POLICE ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | | | |
|---------|------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Mar. 1 | To Appropriation | \$2,145.00 | |
| Dec. 31 | To Overdraft | 99.27 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$2,244.27 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$2,244.27 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$2,244.27 |

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Dr.

| | | | |
|--------|------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Mar. 1 | To Appropriation | | |
| | 1936 Overdraft | \$85.79 | |
| Mar. 1 | To Appropriation | 2,500.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$2,585.79 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Jan. 1 | By Overdraft 1936 | \$85.79 | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | 2,316.15 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 183.85 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$2,585.79 |

TREE WARDEN ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | | | |
|--------|------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$750.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$750.00 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$749.69 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | .31 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$750.00 |

REMOVAL OF SNOW

Dr.

| | | | |
|--------|------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$500.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$500.00 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$171.65 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 328.35 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$500.00 |

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Dr:

| | | | |
|--------|------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$150.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$150.00 |

Cr.

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$135.54 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 14.46 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$150.00 |

UNCLASSIFIED AND MEMORIAL DAY ACCT.

| | | Dr. | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$700.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$700.00 |
| | | Cr. | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$688.63 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 11.37 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$700.00 |

FIRE ACCOUNT

| | | Dr. | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | | |
| | 1936 Overdraft | \$111.90 | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | 500.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$611.90 |
| | | Cr. | |
| 1937 | | | |
| Jan. 1 | By Overdraft | \$111.90 | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | 412.27 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 87.73 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$611.90 |

MACHINERY ACCOUNT

| | | Dr. | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$500.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$500.00 |
| | | Cr. | |
| Dec.31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$418.19 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 81.81 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$500.00 |

FIRE EQUIPMENT ACCOUNT

| | | Dr. | |
|--------|------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$670.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$670.00 |

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|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$657.31 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 12.69 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$670.00 |

GYPSY MOTH ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$1,275.50 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$1,275.50 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$1,274.28 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 1.22 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$1,275.50 |

SOLDIER'S RELIEF ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | | |
| | 1936 Overdraft | \$176.98 | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | 600.00 | |
| Dec. 31 | Overdraft | 135.85 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$912.83 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Jan. 1 | By Overdraft | \$176.98 | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | 735.85 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$912.83 |

LIBRARY ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$200.00 | |
| | Rec'd from Dog Fund | 269.44 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$469.44 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$468.77 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas | .67 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$469.44 |

MOTHER'S AID ACCOUNT

| | | Dr. | |
|---------|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$100.00 | |
| | U. S. Grant | 20.00 | |
| Dec. 31 | Overdraft | 146.85 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$266.85 |
| | | Cr. | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$266.85 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$266.85 |

PARK DEP'T ACCOUNT

| | | Dr. | |
|---------|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$300.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$300.00 |
| | | Cr. | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$299.93 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | .07 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$300.00 |

AMERICAN LEGION ACCOUNT

| | | Dr. | |
|---------|-----------------------|---------|---------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$75.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$75.00 |
| | | Cr. | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$75.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$75.00 |

PLYMOUTH COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

| | | Dr. | |
|---------|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$100.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$100.00 |
| | | Cr. | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$100.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$100.00 |

CENTRAL CEMETERY FENCE

| | | | |
|---------|------------------|-------------------|---------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$90.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$90.00 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | Balance on hand | \$90.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$90.00 |

REPAIR OF BRIDGES ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$500.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$500.00 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$497.73 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 2.27 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$500.00 |

INTEREST ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$200.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$200.00 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$168.33 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 31.67 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$200.00 |

OVERLAY ACCOUNT 1935

| | | | |
|---------|-------------------------------|-------------------|----------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Jan. 1 | Balance on hand | \$616.37 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$616.37 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Abatements (1935) | \$75.50 | |
| Dec. 31 | By Balance to Overlay Reserve | 540.87 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$616.87 |

OVERLAY ACCOUNT 1936

| | | | | |
|---------|------------------------|-----|----------|----------|
| | | Dr. | | |
| Jan. 1 | Balance on hand | | \$630.43 | |
| | | | <hr/> | \$630.43 |
| | | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Abatements (1936) , | | \$256.89 | |
| Dec. 31 | Balance on hand | | 373.54 | |
| | | | <hr/> | \$630.43 |

OVERLAY ACCOUNT 1937

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|---------|---------------------|-----|----------|----------|
| | | Dr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | To Overlay for 1937 | | \$670.94 | |
| | | | <hr/> | \$670.94 |
| | | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Abatements | | \$209.72 | |
| Dec. 31 | Balance on hand | | 461.22 | |
| | | | <hr/> | \$670.94 |

OVERLAY RESERVE ACCOUNT

| | | | | |
|---------|-------------------------|-----|------------|------------|
| | | Dr. | | |
| Jan. 1 | To Balance on hand | | \$1,031.38 | |
| Dec. 31 | From 1935 Overlay Acct. | | 540.87 | |
| | | | <hr/> | \$1,572.25 |
| | | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Balance on hand | | \$1,572.25 | |
| | | | <hr/> | \$1,572.25 |

RESERVE ACCOUNT

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|---------|---|-----|----------|----------|
| | | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | | \$700.00 | |
| | | | <hr/> | \$700.00 |
| | | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Order Transferred to Purchase St. | | | |

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| Land Damage | \$254.76 | |
| Transferred to Central Cemetery Purchase Acct. | 55.00 | |
| Reverts to Treas | 390.24 | |
| | <hr/> | \$700.00 |

GENERAL HIGHWAY REPAIRS ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$800.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$800.00 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$799.67 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | .33 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$800.00 |

CHAPTER 90 PURCHASE ST.

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|------------|------------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 1 | To Appropriation | \$2,000.00 | |
| Mar. 1 | Received from State | 2,799.92 | |
| Mar. 1 | Received from County | 1,399.95 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$6,199.87 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$5,699.83 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 500.04 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$6,199.87 |

PUBLIC SAFETY ACCOUNT

| | | | |
|---------|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| | Dr. | | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$125.00 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$125.00 |
| | Cr. | | |
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$106.54 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 18.46 | |
| | | <hr/> | \$125.00 |

W. P. A. ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | | | |
|--------|------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Jan. 1 | Balance on hand | \$503.31 | |
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | 250.00 | |
| Apr. 5 | To Appropriation | 2,500.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$3,253.31 |

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|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$3,021.29 | |
| Dec. 31 | Balance on hand | 232.02 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$3,253.31 |

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

Dr.

| | | | |
|--------|------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Mar. 8 | To Appropriation | \$510.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$510.00 |

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|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------|
| Dec. 31 | By Selectmen's Orders | \$119.40 | |
| Dec. 31 | Reverts to Treas. | 390.60 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$510.00 |

BY-LAW COMMITTEE ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | | | |
|--------|------------------|-------------------|---------|
| Apr. 5 | To Appropriation | \$25.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$25.00 |

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|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|---------|
| Dec. 31 | By Unexpended Balance | \$25.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$25.00 |

WORK RELIEF ACCOUNT

Dr.

| | | | |
|---------|------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Dec. 18 | To Appropriation | \$2,000.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$2,000.00 |

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|---------|--------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Dec. 31 | By Balance on hand | \$2,000.00 | |
| | | <u> </u> | \$2,000.00 |

KENNETH E. SHAW,
ARTHUR G. BURBANK,
H. W. JORDAN,

Auditors.

ASSESSORS' REPORT FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1937

TOWN APPROPRIATIONS

| | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| General Government | \$6,160.00 |
| Health Account, (Overdraft) | 85.79 |
| Health | 2,500.00 |
| Police Account | 2,145.00 |
| Chap. 90 | 2,000.00 |
| Unclassified and Memorial Day | 700.00 |
| Reserve Fund | 700.00 |
| Public Welfare (Overdraft 1936) | 1,502.40 |
| Public Welfare | 7,000.00 |
| Old Age Assistance | 5,000.00 |
| Mothers' Aid | 100.00 |
| Soldiers' Relief, (Overdraft 1936) | 176.98 |
| Soldiers' Relief | 600.00 |
| Public Safety | 125.00 |
| Chapter 81, Highways | 6,700.00 |
| Road Machinery | 500.00 |
| General Highways | 800.00 |
| Bridges | 500.00 |
| Removal of Snow | 500.00 |
| W. P. A. | 250.00 |
| Fires (Overdraft 1936) | 111.90 |
| Fires | 500.00 |
| Fire Equipment | 670.00 |
| Cemeteries | 850.00 |
| Parks | 300.00 |
| Library | 200.00 |
| Weights and Measures | 150.00 |
| Tree Warden | 750.00 |
| Gypsy Moth | 1,275.50 |
| Schools | 31,181.00 |
| Vocational Education | 510.00 |
| School House Notes | 2,000.00 |

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| Interest | 200.00 |
| Aid to Agriculture | 100.00 |
| American Legion | 75.00 |
| Old Home Day | 200.00 |
| Land Damage, Purchase Street | 200.00 |
| Repairing Cemetery Fence | 90.00 |
| Land for Cemetery | 100.00 |

SPECIAL TOWN MEETING, APRIL 5, 1937

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------|-------------|
| W. P. A. | \$2,500.00 | |
| By-Law Committee Expense | 25.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| Total | | \$80,033.57 |

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|-----------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| State Tax | \$5,175.00 | |
| State Tax, 1936 | 225.00 | |
| Chap. 391 | 47.16 | |
| Chap. 58, Sec. 11—12 | 35.00 | |
| Chap. 44, Sec. 41, State Auditing | 535.13 | |
| County Tax | 5,310.62 | |
| Overlay | 670.94 | |
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| | | \$11,998.85 |
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| | | \$92,032.42 |

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS

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|----------------------------------|------------|
| Income Tax | \$8,417.99 |
| Corporation Taxes | 1,618.97 |
| Re-imbersement, State owned Land | 194.50 |
| Race Track Distribution | 217.25 |
| Motor Vehicle Excise | 2,200.00 |
| Licenses | 194.74 |
| Fines | 236.94 |
| Motor Excise, 1935 | 400.00 |
| Health and Sanitation | 153.87 |
| Charities | 72.25 |
| Old Age Assistance | 4,416.34 |

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| Schools | 5,363.97 | |
| Public Welfare Reimbursement | 990.15 | |
| Interest on Taxes | 381.28 | |
| Sundries | 1,049.85 | |
| | <hr/> | \$25,908.10 |

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| State Tax raised in excess of amount paid, 1936 | \$9.01 | |
| County Tax raised in excess of amount paid, 1936 | 74.88 | |
| Free Cash, by vote of Town | 6,000.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$6,083.89 |
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| | | \$31,991.99 |

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| Amount Raised on Polls | \$1,034.00 | |
| Amount Raised on Property | 59,006.43 | |
| Value of Assessed Stock in Trade | \$26,150.00 | |
| Value of Live Stock | 7,220.00 | |
| Value of Assessed Machinery | 76,325.00 | |
| Value of other Tangible Personal Property | 125,905.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$235,600.00 |

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| Value of Buildings Excluding Land | 770,265.00 | |
| Value of Land Excluding Buildings | 1,803,965.00 | |
| Total Value of Real Estate | | \$2,574,230.00 |

Total Value of Assessed Estate \$2,809,830.00

Value of Assessed Corporations,
Real and Personal \$898,370.00

Increase in Value of Personal Estate \$80.00

Decrease in Value of Real Estate \$61,805.00

Tax Rate \$21.00

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| Number of Horses | 14 |
| Number of Cows | 79 |
| Number of other Cattle | 15 |
| Number of Fowl Assessed | 2,759 |
| Number of Dwellings Assessed | 499 |
| Number of Acres of Land Assessed | 19,314 $\frac{1}{4}$ |
| Number of Corporations Assessed | 30 |
| Number of Persons Assessed on Polls | 517 |
| Number of Persons Assessed on Polls only | 319 |
| Number of Partnerships Assessed | 164 |
| Number Assessed on Real Estate | 673 |
| Number Assessed on Personal Estate | 157 |
| Number of Acres of Cranberry Bog Assessed | 2,685 $\frac{3}{4}$ ✓ |
| Number of Cranberry Bogs Assessed | 350 |

Total Value of Cranberry Bogs \$1,461,815.00

Average Value per Acre 544.23

Estimated Cranberry Crop of 1936 85,000 Bbls.

Assessed Valuation of Cranberry Bogs per Acre for the year 1937

| | | |
|-----|------------|---------|
| 1/4 | A at | \$1,200 |
| 22 | 1/2 A at | 1,050 |
| 27 | 1/8 A at | 1,000 |
| 18 | 3/4 A at | 950 |
| 78 | 3/4 A at | 900 |
| 12 | 1/12 A at | 850 |
| 122 | 7/8 A at | 800 |
| 100 | 1/4 A at | 750 |
| 136 | 1/8 A at | 700 |
| 39 | 1/4 A at | 650 |
| 511 | 1/4 A at | 600 |
| 270 | 11/16 A at | 550 |
| 401 | 1/4 A at | 500 |
| 260 | 1/3 A at | 450 |
| 182 | 7/8 A at | 400 |
| 145 | A at | 350 |
| 122 | 3/8 A at | 300 |

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| 160 | A at | 250 |
| 38 | 1/8 A at | 200 |
| 2 | A at | 150 |
| 21 | 7/12 A at | 100 |
| 11 | 1/2 A Unclassified—Value | 950 |
| Number of Autos and Trucks | | 600 |
| Valuation of Autos and Trucks | | \$137,590.00 |
| Excise Tax Rate | | 34.62 |
| Total Amount of Excise Tax | | 3,762.19 |

Summary of Warrants to the Collector :

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|----------------------------|------------|
| Motor Excise, April 15 | \$1,021.68 |
| Motor Excise, August 2 | 2,213.39 |
| Motor Excise, December 7 | 474.23 |
| Motor Excise, January 1938 | 52.89 |
| Polls, March 25 | 1,034.00 |
| Town, May 26 | 59,007.89 |
| Town, December 20 | 6.00 |

WILLIAM M. SHAW,
RALPH E. WASHBURN,
ARTHUR H. WADE,
Assessors of Carver.

GENERAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNT

| | |
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| Orlando Griffith, Janitor | \$625.00 |
| Pilgrim Typewriter Co. | 16.75 |
| New Bedford Typewriter Co. | 50.00 |
| John H. Wyatt, Supplies | 5.00 |
| Russell Appling, Insurance | 179.45 |
| Arnold Adams, Labor | 1.50 |
| A. W. Peterson, Fertilizer | 4.83 |
| Austin Ward, Signs | 5.11 |
| E. W. Farrington, Supplies | 22.81 |
| A. K. Finney, Express | .50 |
| Church Coal Co. | 402.50 |
| Plymouth County Assoc., Selectmen's Dues | 6.00 |
| George Doane, Yale lock | 1.85 |
| Times Publishing Co. | 2.00 |
| Elwood Stoddard ,Gavels | 4.11 |
| William I. Ward, Insurance | 168.21 |
| Commissioner Public Safety, Inspect Boiler | 5.00 |
| Mass. Tax Coll. Assoc., Dues | 2.00 |
| Mass. Town Clerk Assoc., Dues | 2.00 |
| James H. Peckham, Labor | 24.70 |
| James Peckham, Jr., Labor | 2.20 |
| George Shurtleff, Lumber | 35.27 |
| Ralph Washburn, Services, Assessor | 289.50 |
| Ralph Washburn, Car | 26.00 |
| William Shaw, Services, Assessor | 323.00 |
| William Shaw, Use of car | 45.00 |
| William Shaw, Postage | 4.15 |
| Arthur H. Wade, Services, Assessor | 282.50 |
| Arthur H. Wade, Use of car | 25.38 |
| F. W. Gillion, Supplies | 5.00 |
| P. B. Murphy, Supplies | 1.60 |
| J. A. Bissonette, Deputy Coll. Bond | 10.00 |
| Alfred L. Pappi, Labor & Stock | 70.00 |
| Plymouth County Elec. Co. | 87.32 |

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| H. W. Jordan, Auditor | 61.00 |
| Kenneth E. Shaw, Auditor | 60.00 |
| Arthur G. Burbank, Auditor | 60.00 |
| N. Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone | 95.88 |
| Eleanor Shaw, Assessors' Clerk | 78.00 |
| George E. Cromwell & Sons | .50 |
| Hedman Co., Bond | 27.00 |
| Morris Ireland Safe Co. | 28.00 |
| Daniel Dempsey, Labor & Stock | 41.30 |
| William Holmes, Constable | 7.00 |
| Middleboro Trust Co., Check book | 2.25 |
| Rogers Print, Supplies | 81.05 |
| Jesse A. Holmes, Screens & Supplies | 37.95 |
| Hobbs, & Warren, Supplies | 44.27 |
| Saunders Hardware Co., Supplies | 17.63 |
| Harry Morris, Census | 8.85 |
| A. L. Hunter, Desks, Supplies, etc. | 236.50 |
| Stetson & Clark, Legal advice | 8.00 |
| F. S. Weston, Bond—Treas., Coll., Clerk | 155.00 |
| J. V. Sullivan, Legal advice | 19.50 |
| H. L. Thatcher, Supplies | 43.45 |
| Perez L. Shurtleff, Repairs on heating | 5.22 |
| Earl B. Ware, Services | 281.00 |
| Earl B. Ware, Use of car | 19.00 |
| Allen A. MacDonald, services | 68.65 |
| Allen A. MacDonald, Use of car | 14.00 |
| Arthur W. Peterson, Services | 265.30 |
| Bernard Roby, Services | 75.00 |
| Charlotte Ware, Election officer | 4.50 |
| May Pink, Election officer | 2.50 |
| Mildred Shaw, Election officer | 4.50 |
| Anna Maguire, Election officer | 4.50 |
| Mabel Ryan, Election officer | 2.50 |
| Orrie Dempsey, Election officer | 4.50 |
| Reba Murray, Election officer | 4.50 |
| Eben Shaw, Election officer | 2.50 |
| Joseph Howes, Election officer | 2.50 |
| Frank E. Barrows, Moderator | 10.00 |
| Marjorie Telfer, Election officer | 4.50 |
| Florence Jordan, Election officer | 2.50 |

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| May Stanley, Election officer | 2.00 |
| William Holmes, Election officer | 2.00 |
| William Holmes, Posting Warrants | 7.00 |
| Arthur W. Peterson, Election officer | 2.50 |
| Earl B. Ware, Election officer | 2.50 |
| Florence Washburn, Election officer | 2.00 |
| Florence Washburn, Clerk | 5.00 |
| Florence Washburn, Clerical work | 2.50 |
| Jack L. Martin, Clerk | 237.50 |
| Jack L. Martin, Treasurer | 475.00 |
| Jack L. Martin, Collector | 475.00 |
| Jack L. Martin, Expenses, supplies, etc. | 42.93 |
| Jack L. Martin, Use of Car | 157.00 |
| Jack L. Martin, Postage | 89.90 |
| Jack L. Martin, Registrar | 3.00 |
| Henry S. Griffith, Expenses | 45.75 |
| Henry S. Griffith, Salary | 250.00 |
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| | \$6,428.62 |

PUBLIC WELFARE

| | |
|----------------------------------|----------|
| Home Assistance | \$475.48 |
| Plymouth Co-operative Bank, rent | 80.00 |
| Frank F. Weston, Carting wood | 33.75 |
| Jesse Holmes, Wedges | .90 |
| Hobbs, & Warren, Supplies | 30.14 |
| Boston City Hospital | 27.45 |
| Mary Aho, Board | 336.00 |
| Isabelle Blake, Board | 48.63 |
| Mike Anthony, Rent | 10.00 |
| H. S. Pink, Supplies | 955.55 |
| Ammy Bolduc, Sawing wood | 2.00 |
| William Egger | 180.00 |
| John Bourget, Supplies | 540.72 |
| Andrew Eames, Carting wood | 38.50 |
| Besse & Lang, Shoes | 31.54 |
| Dr. Rounds, Dentist | 4.00 |
| Walter Carmichael, Supplies | 792.13 |

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|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Plymouth County Elec. Co. | 21.76 |
| Lewis Jenny Supplies | 203.36 |
| Roby's Filling Station, Supplies | 2.88 |
| Mass. General Hospital | 67.10 |
| Mass. Eye & Ear Hospital | 116.25 |
| Theo. Thomas, Milk | 149.82 |
| Town of Falmouth | 7.52 |
| Town of Wareham | 1,267.14 |
| Town of Plymouth | 1,447.66 |
| Frank Barrows, Digging graves | 31.00 |
| Dr. L. M. Chase, Medical Services | 571.50 |
| A. W. Peterson, Services | 101.10 |
| A. W. Peterson, Use of car | 29.50 |
| Allen MacDonald, Supplies | 1.40 |
| Allen MacDonald, Services | 50.00 |
| Allen MacDonald, Auto | 19.00 |
| W. T. Grant Co., Clothes | 33.06 |
| Buttner's Clothes | 1.00 |
| Sachem Press | 7.70 |
| D. W. Besse, Shoes | 22.75 |
| Harry Jordan, Supplies | 66.00 |
| Perez Shurtleff, Carting wood | 2.75 |
| City of New Bedford | 437.47 |
| Town of Middleboro | 432.30 |
| City of Cambridge | 126.89 |
| Manuel Rose, Board | 30.25 |
| Harry Morris, Census | 24.68 |
| Ella Timas | 10.00 |
| No. Reading Sanitarium | 334.00 |
| Crowell's Men Shop, Clothes | 10.22 |
| Myron Hayden, Supplies | 9.25 |
| Dept. Public Welfare | 46.65 |
| Crane Brook Co. | 6.00 |
| City of Boston | 47.06 |
| Charles Dunham, Board | 57.00 |
| Comm. Mass. State Infirmery | 4.00 |
| Antone Andrade, Carting wood | 5.50 |
| Florence Washburn, Clerical work | 1.00 |
| Div. of Child Guardianship | 50.71 |
| John Hall Funeral Home | 60.00 |

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| E. B. Ware, Services | 88.00 |
| Carl Johnson, Carting wood | 2.50 |
| Union Hospital | 78.86 |
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| Total | \$9,669.38 |

AMERICAN LEGION

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|----------------------------------|---------|
| Treasurer—Sons of Veterans, Rent | \$75.00 |
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MOTHER'S AID—AND AID TO DEPENDENT
CHILDREN

| | |
|-------------|----------|
| Home Relief | \$266.85 |
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PLYMOUTH COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

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|-----------------------|----------|
| Plymouth County Agent | \$100.00 |
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OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

| | |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Home Assistance | \$8,742.42 |
| Earl Ware, Services | 74.00 |
| Allen MacDonald, Services | 6.30 |
| Town of Middleboro | 115.33 |
| Dr. L. M. Chase, Medical Services | 31.00 |
| St. Lukes Hospital | 17.00 |
| William Egger, Ambulance | 5.00 |
| William Egger, Funeral | 100.00 |
| Middleboro Dist. Nurse Assoc. | 2.00 |
| Leslie Clark | 15.00 |
| Town of Plymouth | 48.50 |
| Town of Falmouth | 23.84 |
| Florence Washburn, Clerical work | 5.00 |
| City of Fall River | 95.34 |
| A. W. Peterson, Services | 38.06 |
| Bernard Roby, Services | 13.81 |
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| | \$9,332.60 |

UNCLASSIFIED ACCOUNT AND MEMORIAL DAY

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| Henry T. Buffington, Guy Case | \$76.95 |
| Florence Washburn, Clerical work | 28.50 |
| L. W. Jenney, Postage | 3.30 |
| H. W. Jordan, Postage | 1.77 |
| H. S. Pink, Postage | 5.52 |
| Dr. Chase, Medical Services | 21.00 |
| Traffic Equipment Co., Service | 218.40 |
| Rogers Print, Town Reports and ballots | 158.44 |
| H. L. Thotcher, Ballots | 14.75 |
| Treasurer Sons of Veterans, Memorial Day | 150.00 |
| Earl B. Ware, Preambulating lines | 5.00 |
| A. W. Peterson, Preambulating lines | 5.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$688.63 |

GYPSY MOTH ACCOUNT

| | |
|---|----------|
| John F. Tubman, Labor | \$560.63 |
| Adelard Manseau, Labor | 24.00 |
| Jas. Thomas, Labor | 23.50 |
| Albert Raymond, Labor | 125.25 |
| Jos. Corshia, Labor | 8.00 |
| Raymond Tubman, Labor | 8.50 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies & brushes | 1.30 |
| Acme Rubber Mfg. Co., Hose | 27.29 |
| Sherwin Williams Co., Lead and Soap | 279.38 |
| Albert Robbins, Labor | 122.00 |
| Lloyd Thomas, Labor | 8.00 |
| H. R. Bailey, Labor | 1.25 |
| John Hacking, Labor | 4.00 |
| Roger Williams, Gas and oil | 2.25 |
| Arnold Adams, Labor | .75 |
| Sachen Press, Signs | 4.00 |
| Jas. B. Braddock, Labor | 7.50 |
| Walter Carmichael, Gas and oil | 20.48 |
| Walter Carmichael, Supplies | 4.80 |
| Fred Parent, Labor | 4.00 |
| H. S. Pink, paris green | 12.00 |
| Wenham Garage, Labor and parts | 12.90 |

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| Est. A. B. Griffith, Tacks | .50 |
| Lea Anthony, Labor | 12.00 |
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| | \$1,274.28 |

HEALTH ACCOUNT

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| E. F. Mahady Co., Supplies | \$1.94 |
| No. Reading State Sanatorium | 31.00 |
| New Bedford Venereal Disease Clinic | 28.00 |
| Plymouth County Hospital | 241.60 |
| Dr. L. M. Chase, Services | 244.00 |
| Plymouth County Assessment | 1,248.02 |
| James Peckham, Labor | 9.50 |
| Edwin E. Bisbee, Inspector of Slaughtering | 15.00 |
| Dr. Helen Ham | 3.25 |
| Allen A. MacDonald, Auto | 5.00 |
| Bernard Roby, Burial of dog | 1.00 |
| Bernard Roby, Services | 64.55 |
| A. W. Peterson, Services | 33.75 |
| Dr. Herbert H. Howard, Operation | 100.00 |
| Rudolph H. Swenson, M. D. | 25.00 |
| Frank E. Barrows, Graves | 6.00 |
| W. W. Beaman & Son | 6.00 |
| Lewis Ruggeri, Blocks—Cesspool | 17.55 |
| Albert Champoux, Labor on cesspool | 40.75 |
| Wilfred Champoux, Labor on cesspool | 39.50 |
| Dolar Cote, Labor on cesspool | 20.00 |
| Fred Parent, Labor on cesspool | 5.75 |
| Clarence Garnett, Labor on cesspool | 16.00 |
| Earl Ware, Labor on cesspool | 16.00 |
| Arthur Peterson, Labor and truck on cesspool | 47.25 |
| Albert Thomas, Labor on cesspool | 12.00 |
| J. Malaguti, Pipe—cesspool | 11.97 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son—Supplies, cesspool | 14.77 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, carting wood | 8.00 |
| Earl Ware, Services | 3.00 |
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| | \$2,316.15 |

PARKS

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| Jas. S. McKay, Labor | \$89.70 |
| Jas. S. McKay, Auto | 10.30 |
| Jas. S. McKay, Supplies | .50 |
| Roger Dempsey, Labor | 3.13 |
| Eldred Mosher, Labor & truck | 3.50 |
| Frank E. Barrows, Labor | 51.30 |
| Edwin Bisbee, Labor | 6.00 |
| Alfred Dubè, Labor | .50 |
| R. Barnett, Labor | 3.75 |
| Herman Young, Labor | 3.00 |
| Rufus Blair, Labor | 2.50 |
| Rufus Blair, Auto | 1.00 |
| Tom Reynolds, Labor | 15.76 |
| Tom Reynolds, Auto | 3.50 |
| Robert McKenzie, Labor | 6.25 |
| H. S. Pink, Fertilizer | 1.05 |
| Obed Manseau, Labor | 11.51 |
| Albert Raymond, Labor | 30.50 |
| Wm. E. Bisbee, Labor | 1.88 |
| Daniel Dempsey, Labor | 1.00 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies | 5.37 |
| A. W. Peterson, Fertilizer | 13.33 |
| Levi, Thomas, Labor | 4.80 |
| Levi, Thomas, Auto | 4.00 |
| John Tubman, Labor | 4.80 |
| John Tubman, Truck | 2.00 |
| Edward Adams, Labor | 3.00 |
| Adelard Manseau, Labor | 4.00 |
| Chester Porter, Dressing | 12.00 |
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| | \$299.93 |

SOLDIERS' RELIEF

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| George Lang, Supplies | \$6.00 |
| Jos. Longi, Rent | 10.00 |
| Jos. Longi, Milk | 2.20 |
| Allen MacDonald, Auto | 6.00 |

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| Boston Lying Hospital | 90.30 |
| J. C. Angley, M. D. | 7.00 |
| City of Taunton | 74.35 |
| Home Relief | 540.00 |
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| | \$735.85 |

SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

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| W. & L. Gurley Co., Supplies | \$6.54 |
| Edwin Bisbee, services | 106.80 |
| Russell Appling, Insurance | 22.20 |
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| | \$135.54 |

BRIDGE ACCOUNT

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| Frank F. Weston, Labor & Truck | \$58.60 |
| Frank F. Weston, Freight & Supplies | 16.39 |
| Est. A. D. Griffith, Paint | 21.13 |
| New Eng. Metal Culvert Co. | 100.18 |
| Fred Horton, Labor | 4.00 |
| Michael Joseph, Labor | 4.00 |
| Nelson Story, Labor | 4.00 |
| Robert Gray, Labor | 22.25 |
| Albert Thomas, Labor | 4.88 |
| N. Eng. Concrete Pipe Co., Pipe | 41.63 |
| Odillion Pelletier, Labor | .66 |
| State Prison, Grateing | 30.65 |
| H. Jordan, Supplies | 6.82 |
| Ernest Dunham, Labor | 8.00 |
| Tom Reynolds, Labor | 26.25 |
| Herman Young, Labor | 4.00 |
| S. E. Construction Co., Catch Basin | 22.00 |
| Adlarde Manseau, Labor | 30.25 |
| Tom Hastings, Labor | 3.50 |
| Leo Anthony, Labor | 7.75 |
| Wm. R. Holmes, Labor | 1.75 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Plank & Supplies | 50.70 |

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| H. S. Pink, Supplies | 6.84 |
| Richard, Barnett, Labor | 4.00 |
| Henry Appling, Labor | 5.50 |
| Leo Caron, Labor | 4.00 |
| Frank Halunen, Labor | 4.00 |
| Jos. Bradford, Labor | 4.00 |
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| | \$497.73 |

CEMETERY ACCOUNT

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| Frank Barrows, Labor | \$64.20 |
| Frank Barrows, Scythe | 1.00 |
| Eldred Mosher, Labor & truck | 3.75 |
| Frank Cole, Supplies | .80 |
| Arnold Adams, Repairs | 6.25 |
| Ralph Linton, Labor | 314.91 |
| Ralph Linton, Auto | 12.50 |
| Ralph Linton, Shears | 1.00 |
| Andrew Eames, Labor | 4.87 |
| Edwin Bisbee, Labor | 32.88 |
| Alfred Dube, Labor | 9.13 |
| Richard Barnett, Labor | 25.25 |
| James Peckham, Labor | 67.61 |
| James Peckham, Auto | 1.50 |
| A. W. Peterson, Plants | 9.80 |
| Frank Shanks, Labor | 13.00 |
| Fred Parent, Labor | .75 |
| David Melville, Labor | .75 |
| John Tubman, Labor | 2.40 |
| James Peckham, Jr., Labor | 8.00 |
| Herman Young, Labor | 25.75 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies | 54.30 |
| H. S. Pink, Fertilizer and supplies | 30.78 |
| William Bisbee, Labor | 8.88 |
| Daniel Dempsey, Labor and truck | 16.50 |
| James McKay, Labor and auto | 3.10 |
| Everett Cassidy, Labor | 8.00 |
| Laurence Carmichael, Labor | 7.50 |

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| Leo Bolduc, Labor | 7.38 |
| Stewart Fowler, Labor | 4.00 |
| George Manseau, Labor | 3.50 |
| Obed Manseau, Labor | 5.50 |
| Rufus Blair, Labor | 14.13 |
| Rufus Blair, Auto | 1.00 |
| Plymouth Hardware Co., seed | 3.48 |
| John Cobb, Trees and plants | 26.04 |
| Albert Robbins, Labor | 12.25 |
| Arthur Wade, Labor | 1.00 |
| Roger Dempsey, Labor | 2.50 |
| Joe Moreau, Labor | 10.25 |
| Thomas Reynolds, Labor | 16.50 |
| Chesley Knowlton, Labor | 3.00 |
| F. N. Thomas, Loam | 4.00 |
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| | \$849.69 |

CENTRAL CEMETERY ACCOUNT (New Purchase)

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| Elsie Frances, Land | \$150.00 |
| Rufus Blair, Labor | 10.50 |
| Frank Barrows, Labor and truck | 53.50 |
| Andrew Paananen, Labor | 16.75 |
| H. S. Pink, Supplies | 3.50 |
| Albert Robbins, Labor | 10.50 |
| Chesley Knowlton, Labor | 10.50 |
| Nelson Thomas, Labor | 10.50 |
| M. T. Sprague, caps and dynamite | 24.50 |
| Henry Robideau, Labor | 12.75 |
| Frank, Robideau, Labor | 12.75 |
| H. R. Bailey, Supplies | 4.65 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies | 7.40 |
| Anthony Roy, Labor | 10.50 |
| Fred Horton, Labor | 12.00 |
| Chas. Guertin, Labor | 4.00 |
| John Hacking, Labor | 2.00 |
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| | \$356.30 |

ROAD MACHINERY

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|------------------------------------|----------|
| Shunk Mfg. Co., Grader blades | \$35.10 |
| N. E. Road Mch. Co., Parts | 34.40 |
| Sears Lumber Co., Lumber | 2.08 |
| Franklin Auto Supply Co., supplies | 1.56 |
| A. D. Griffith, Est., Supplies | 1.70 |
| E. W. Systrom Co., Torches | 8.10 |
| Jay Ward, Labor | 4.50 |
| Plymouth Lumber Co., | 8.72 |
| Homer Weston, Labor | 75.40 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies | 45.66 |
| George Doane Co., Parts | 1.44 |
| Shirley Security Fence Co., Brush | 7.70 |
| Leo Anthony, Labor | 4.00 |
| Leo Caron, Labor | 4.00 |
| Frank Weston, Labor | 28.80 |
| Wenham Garage, Labor | 5.69 |
| George Little, Supplies | 6.60 |
| Jas. Thomas, Labor | 30.80 |
| Alexander Supply Co., Blades | 10.00 |
| Clark & Wilcox, Parts | 35.11 |
| Ben Resnick, Parts | 9.00 |
| Walter Carmichael, Supplies | 2.32 |
| A. K. Finney, roller | 50.34 |
| Durant Garage, Gas | 2.67 |
| H. R. Bailey, Repairs | 2.50 |
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| | \$418.19 |

FIRES

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| Vineo, Chimney fire | \$6.90 |
| Jack Hacking, Chimney | 1.80 |
| Alice Adams, Grass | 1.50 |
| Philip Cole, Chimney | 2.00 |
| Swifts Bog, Grass | 5.30 |
| H. W. Jordan, Grass | 14.40 |
| Inspection and issuing oil permit | 2.75 |
| Frank Barrows, Grass | 4.40 |
| Fowler, Barn | 19.70 |

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| Bert Shurtleff | 26.00 |
| Churchill, Brush | 8.20 |
| Chas. Gray, Chimney | 1.60 |
| Ralph Linton, Chimney | 1.10 |
| O'Brine, Chimney | 2.70 |
| Finney Road, Brush | 2.20 |
| Ernest Shaw, Grass | 1.10 |
| Johnson | 11.60 |
| Finney Road | 7.40 |
| O'Brine, Chimney | 3.40 |
| Symington, Woods | 28.30 |
| Ellis Atwood, dump | 16.40 |
| Arthur T. Braddock, brush | 12.50 |
| Robert Gray | 13.40 |
| Grange Hall, Brush | 5.20 |
| George Williams | 25.60 |
| Albert Chandler, Grass and brush | 12.90 |
| 4th July fires, E. Carver bog house | 39.30 |
| H. J. Vaughan, Pump house | 3.60 |
| O'Brine Bog, Brush | 22.85 |
| F. E. Barrows, Grass and brush | 3.80 |
| Ellis Atwood, New Meadows | 34.80 |
| John Kenney, Grass | 1.00 |
| Coopers Pond | 1.00 |
| Oil permit, Clara Benson | 1.00 |
| Cross Paths | 3.20 |
| Ernest Shaw, Bog house | 19.00 |
| Fire near Warren Chandler | 1.60 |
| A. L. Chandler House | 22.35 |
| Mary Nicols, Chimney | 1.20 |
| Laura Vaughan, Chimney | 1.00 |
| Fred Ward, Chimney | 1.00 |
| J. Tubman, inspection, oil permit and telephone | 9.50 |
| Theo Thomas, Chimney | 1.50 |
| J. Furtach, Chimney | 2.70 |
| Jesse A. Holmes, Chimney | .50 |
| Nelson Storey, Chimney | 2.70 |
| Roby, Gas | .32 |

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FIRE EQUIPMENT

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| Wm. I. Ward, Insurance | \$98.20 |
| Wenham Garage, Rent | 150.00 |
| Wenham Garage, Gas and supplies | 21.39 |
| Buffalo Fire Appliance Co. | 60.68 |
| Russell Appling, Labor | 3.00 |
| J. Tubman, Labor and truck | 16.22 |
| Rockland Transportation Co., Express | .50 |
| Maxim Motor Co., Hose | 21.95 |
| Boston Woven Hose Co., Hose | 203.35 |
| Acme Rubber Co., Hose | 70.52 |
| Albino, Faietti, Tank | 3.50 |
| Albert Raymond, Labor | 8.00 |
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| | \$657.31 |

LIBRARY

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| N. Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co., Telephone | \$18.67 |
| Myrtle Atwood, Services | 200.00 |
| Myrtel Atwood, Supplies | 3.39 |
| Library Book House, Books | 152.57 |
| Junior Literary Guild Corp., Supplies | 65.65 |
| Herman Goldberg Agency, Supplies | 21.50 |
| Edward E. Babb & Co., Supplies | 6.99 |
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| | \$468.77 |

TREE WARDEN

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|----------------------------------|---------|
| Harry Morris, Labor | \$68.25 |
| Anthony Majahad, Labor and truck | 24.50 |
| Henry Appling, Labor | 69.50 |
| Elbert Raymond, Labor | 83.25 |
| John Tubman, Labor and truck | 323.65 |
| H. S. Pink, Fertilizer | 4.34 |
| Oscar Carlson, Labor | 4.00 |
| Lloyd Thomas, Labor | 4.00 |
| Albert Robbins, Labor | 15.75 |

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| Robert Williams, Labor | 24.50 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies | 5.70 |
| J. W. Hacking, Labor | 26.75 |
| Dolar Cote, Labor | 28.75 |
| Fred Parent, Labor and filing saws | 8.50 |
| Mike Clare, Labor | 8.00 |
| Edw. Adams, Labor | 18.25 |
| Herman Young, Labor | 24.50 |
| Arnold Telfer, Filing saws | 1.00 |
| Perez Shurtleff, Labor | 1.00 |
| Thos. Reynolds, Labor | 5.50 |
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| | \$749.69 |

POLICE ACCOUNT

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| Myron Hayden, Services | \$1,420.00 |
| Myron Hayden, Supplies and telephone | 23.98 |
| Ralph Linton, Services | 57.50 |
| Edwin Bisbee, Services | 39.40 |
| Harry Morris, Services | 48.32 |
| Harry Morris, Dog Officer | 41.90 |
| Plymouth Typewriter Co., repairs | 10.50 |
| Town of Wareham, Use of lock-up | 11.00 |
| W. S. Daly & Co., First Aid Kit | 5.48 |
| William Holmes, Labor | 11.50 |
| Chester Morse, Commitments | 13.20 |
| Middleboro Police Dept., Commitments | 45.38 |
| Albert Robbins, Labor | 8.75 |
| N. Eng. Tel. & Tel. Co. | 54.39 |
| Dr. Chas, Services | 13.00 |
| Chesley Knowlton, Labor | 18.00 |
| Wenham Garage, Gas, etc. | 99.73 |
| Eaton's Filling Station | 28.26 |
| Roby's Service Station, Gas, tires, etc. | 111.57 |
| Williams Gas Station | 36.09 |
| Adams Garage | 20.83 |
| A. L. Hunter, Supplies | 3.25 |
| L. W. Jenney, gas and oil | 20.28 |
| W. S. Darley, Light | 17.50 |

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| H. W. Jordan, Gas and oil | 19.60 |
| Arthur G. Shaw, repairs on radio | 4.00 |
| Animal Rescue League | 2.00 |
| V. H. Blackingson Co., Badges | 14.58 |
| Rockland Trans. Co., Express | .50 |
| Iver Johnson | 2.31 |
| Memorial Press, Printing | 6.50 |
| W. Carmichael, Gas and oil, etc. | 22.81 |
| Traffic Equip. Co., Badges | 12.16 |
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| | \$2,244.27 |

SNOW ACCOUNT

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|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Frank Weston, Labor and truck | \$58.60 |
| Norman Holmes, Labor and truck | 13.75 |
| Uno Penti, Labor | 1.25 |
| H. R. Bailey Co., Repairs, plow | 23.80 |
| Ernest Dunham, labor | 4.00 |
| Daniel Dempsey, Labor and truck | 3.00 |
| Arne Johnston, Labor and truck | 15.00 |
| John Atwood, Labor | 1.25 |
| Warren Dionne, Labor | 1.25 |
| Leo Anthony, Labor | 4.00 |
| Wm. R. Holmes, Labor | 1.00 |
| Ammy Bolduc, Labor | 1.50 |
| Raymond Parent, Labor | 1.50 |
| Perez, Shurtleff, Labor and truck | 4.50 |
| E. S. Mosher, Labor and truck | 12.00 |
| Adelard Manseau, Labor | 7.75 |
| Fred Parent, Labor | 5.50 |
| John Fowler, Labor | 5.50 |
| James Thomas, Labor | 4.00 |
| T. T. Vaughan, Sand | 2.50 |
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| | \$171.65 |

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT, CHAPTER 81

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| Frank Weston, Superintendent | \$996.40 |
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| Frank Weston, Labor and truck | 1,479.08 |
| Frank Weston, Shovel | 238.00 |
| Ernest Shaw, Labor and truck | 287.25 |
| Alex Carlson, Labor and truck | 84.00 |
| Vernie Johnson, Labor and truck | 36.00 |
| Embert Eames, Labor and truck | 62.25 |
| Andrew Eames, Labor and truck | 121.50 |
| Arne Johnson, Labor and truck | 162.00 |
| Eino Harju, Labor and truck | 114.00 |
| Chas. Kallio, Labor and truck | 76.88 |
| Carl Johnson, Labor and truck | 72.00 |
| Alex. Johnson, Labor and truck | 24.00 |
| J. L. Jenney, Gas | 3.47 |
| Robert Shurtleff, Labor and truck | 113.63 |
| E. S. Mosher, Labor and truck | 126.00 |
| Daniel Dempsey, Labor and truck | 105.00 |
| Vernie Halunen, Labor and truck | 48.75 |
| Perez Shurtleff, Labor and truck | 222.75 |
| Terho Kaski, Labor and truck | 103.50 |
| Arthur T. Braddock, Labor and truck | 150.75 |
| Andrew Paananen, Labor and truck | 204.00 |
| Oscar Carlson, Labor and truck | 52.50 |
| Allen Eastman, Labor and truck | 23.25 |
| Arthur K. Finney, Roller | 375.00 |
| Solon Johnson, Labor and truck | 5.25 |
| Theron Bumpus, Labor and truck | 58.88 |
| James Thomas, Labor on scraper | 195.83 |
| James Thomas, Labor and horse, mowing side of road | 70.00 |
| Roger Weston, Labor | 12.00 |
| Evangeline Senteio, Labor and truck | 12.00 |
| Arthur Laine, Labor and truck | 84.00 |
| Walter Carmichael, Gas | 151.42 |
| Thomas Roy, Labor | 12.00 |
| H. W. Jordan, Gas | 15.65 |
| Security Fence Co. | 7.70 |
| Dolar Cote, Labor | 83.38 |
| Leo Anthony, Labor | 332.63 |
| Cornelius Kelliher, Labor | 171.01 |
| Oscar Carlson, Labor | 40.25 |

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| John Pennell, Labor | 324.76 |
| Adelard Manseau, Labor | 347.01 |
| Joseph Howes, Labor | 143.00 |
| Ernest Dunham, Labor | 513.26 |
| John E. Atwood, Labor | 4.00 |
| Nelson Story, Labor | 242.26 |
| Matti Erickson, Labor | 37.25 |
| Leo Caron, Labor | 448.51 |
| Richard Barnett, Labor | 143.75 |
| Charles Kennedy, Labor | 275.13 |
| Henry Appling, Labor | 198.13 |
| Robert Williams, Labor | 1.25 |
| Robert Grey, Labor | 170.13 |
| Tom Hastings, Labor | 274.38 |
| Jos. Bolduc, Labor | 37.75 |
| Tom Reynolds, Labor | 20.75 |
| Chas. Dunham, Gravel | 6.00 |
| Herbert Whiting, Gravel | 8.00 |
| Est. T. T. Vaughan, Sand | 30.00 |
| Annie Boardway, Sand | 9.00 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Gravel | 10.00 |
| George Arponen, Labor | 92.25 |
| Harvey Halunen, Labor | 144.00 |
| Uno Pentti, Labor | 18.00 |
| Clarence Garnett, Labor | 40.25 |
| Albert Fowler, Labor | 15.75 |
| George Salva, Labor | 79.38 |
| Paul Williams, Labor | 13.25 |
| Wm. R. Holmes, Labor | 19.38 |
| Frank Shanks, Labor | 132.88 |
| Herbert D. Moranville, Labor | 125.38 |
| American Oil Products | 235.14 |
| Solway, Sales Corp., Supplies | 96.00 |
| Edward G. Baker Co., Cable | 459.58 |
| American Bituminous Co. | 1,022.14 |
| The Barrett Co., Tarvia | 2,037.82 |
| Koppers Products Co. | 1,219.89 |
| Russell Appling, Labor | 3.00 |
| Harvey Morris, Labor | 11.75 |
| Robert Raymond, Labor | 187.25 |

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| Herman Young, Labor | 223.00 |
| Chesley Knowlton, Labor | 11.75 |
| Ralph Linton, Labor | 11.75 |
| Fred Horton, Labor | 100.50 |
| Mike Joseph, Labor | 48.50 |
| John Texeria, Labor | 50.25 |
| Jos. LaChance, Labor | 82.00 |
| Jos. Moreau, Labor | 98.75 |
| Otto, Johnson, Labor | 35.00 |
| Jos. Bradford, Labor | 108.50 |
| Bradford Weston, Stone | 199.60 |
| Traffic Equipment Co., Brooms | 49.00 |
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| | \$16,749.97 |

CHAPTER 90, PURCHASE ST.

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| Frank Weston, Labor | \$193.05 |
| Frank Weston, Shovel | 860.00 |
| Frank Weston, Truck | 48.75 |
| Frank Weston, Truck and Labor | 77.00 |
| Odillion Pelletier, Labor | 164.50 |
| Fred Parent, Labor | 22.00 |
| E. S. Mosher, Labor | 17.25 |
| Thomas Reynolds, Labor | 147.75 |
| Verni Halunen, Labor and truck | 60.00 |
| Arne Johnson, Labor and truck | 62.50 |
| Perez Shurtleff, Labor and truck | 12.00 |
| Arthur T. Braddock, Labor and truck | 78.75 |
| Leo Anthony, Labor | 163.75 |
| Evangeline Senteio, Labor and truck | 72.00 |
| Alex Carlson, Labor and truck | 60.00 |
| Ernest Dunham, Labor | 8.00 |
| Solon Johns, Labor and truck | 73.50 |
| Richard Barnett, Labor | 180.25 |
| Jas. Thomas, Operator on scraper | 55.50 |
| Jas. Thomas, Labor | 1.75 |
| Herbert D. Moranville, Labor | 24.00 |
| Manuel Mederia, Grader | 12.75 |
| Theron Bumpus, Labor and truck | 72.00 |

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| Clarence Garnett, Labor | 147.25 |
| Arthur K. Finney, Roller | 155.00 |
| Dan Dempsey, Labor and truck | 72.00 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Gravel | 90.00 |
| Toivo Kallio, Labor and truck | 72.00 |
| Paul Williams, Labor | 88.50 |
| Harvey Halunen, Labor | 37.25 |
| Charles Kallio, Labor and truck | 77.25 |
| Edith Griffith, Land | 100.00 |
| Andrew Paananen, Labor and truck | 12.00 |
| Jos. Bradford, Labor | 169.75 |
| Nelson Story, Labor | 16.75 |
| Robert Shurtleff, Labor and truck | 60.00 |
| Fred Horton, Labor | 31.75 |
| Carl Johnson, Labor and truck | 89.25 |
| Thos. Roy, Labor | 16.75 |
| Allen Eastman, Labor and truck | 72.00 |
| Michael Joseph, Labor | 41.25 |
| Terho Kaski, Labor and truck | 78.75 |
| Andrew Eames, Labor and truck | 34.50 |
| Robert Williams, Labor | 73.50 |
| Herman Young, Labor | 8.00 |
| Aaron Arponen, Labor and truck | 82.00 |
| Otto Johnson, Labor | 4.75 |
| Adelarde Manseau, Labor | 96.75 |
| Robert Raymond, Labor | 16.00 |
| N. E. Metal Culvert Co., culvert | 79.32 |
| N. E. Concrete Pipe Co., Pipe | 136.13 |
| State Prison, Catch basin | 61.28 |
| Eino Harju, Labor and truck | 31.50 |
| Barrett Co., Tarvia | 1,053.05 |
| Napoleon Dionne, Labor | 68.50 |
| Arthur Laine, Labor and truck | 60.00 |
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| | \$5,699.83 |

PUBLIC SAFETY

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|-------------------------|--------|
| Herman Young, Labor | \$2.25 |
| Chesley Knowlton, Labor | 29.75 |

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| Hancock Paint Co., Paint | 5.95 |
| Frank Cole, Traffic Box | 4.50 |
| Florence Washburn, Clerical work | 4.00 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, Supplies | 6.09 |
| Ralph Linton, Labor | 50.00 |
| Ralph Linton, Auto | 1.00 |
| Albert Robbins, Labor | 3.00 |
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| | \$106.54 |

GENERAL HIGHWAY

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|------------------------------|----------|
| Frank Weston, Labor | \$271.65 |
| Walter Carmichael, Gas | 38.11 |
| Bradford Weston, Stone | 33.07 |
| Herbert Whiting, Gravel | 28.00 |
| Atlantic Refining Co., Gas | 14.75 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, tools | 31.09 |
| Socony Oil Co. | 12.72 |
| Amer. Bituminous Co. | 31.63 |
| Shell Union Oil Co., | 53.90 |
| Sherwin Williams, Paint | 9.75 |
| Katherine B. Ingham, Gravel | 275.00 |
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| | \$799.67 |

W. P. A.

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| Caroline Inquist, Gravel | \$5.00 |
| W. S. Darley, 1st Aid kit | 1.96 |
| Jas. Higgins & Son | 23.44 |
| Treas. of U. S. | 17.78 |
| Orlando Griffith, Janitor | 120.00 |
| Nemasket Trans. Co., Express | 1.50 |
| John Tubman, Labor | 117.21 |
| Walter Carmichael, Supplies | 13.00 |
| Church Coal Co. | 43.75 |
| L. J. Schreiber, Repairs to machines | 7.50 |
| Austin Ward | .50 |

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| Allen MacDonald, Expense | 11.00 |
| Andrew Eames, Labor and truck | 66.75 |
| Ernest W. Shaw, truck | 31.50 |
| Daniel Dempsey, Labor and truck | 141.75 |
| Eino Harju, Labor and truck | 162.00 |
| Embert Eames, Labor and truck | 11.25 |
| Alex Carlson, Labor and truck | 124.50 |
| Carl Johnson, Labor and truck | 115.50 |
| Robert Shurtleff, Labor and truck | 43.50 |
| Grace Bisbee, Clerk | 1.00 |
| Arthur Peterson, Services | 75.65 |
| Arthur Peterson, Use of car | 19.00 |
| Arthur Peterson, Drinking cups | 1.50 |
| Earl Ware, Services | 53.00 |
| Frank, Weston, Truck | 49.00 |
| Frank Weston, Superintendent | 467.25 |
| Allen Eastman, Labor and truck | 131.25 |
| Robert Williams, Labor and truck | 147.00 |
| Solon Johnson, Labor and truck | 144.75 |
| Terho Kaski, Labor and truck | 81.75 |
| E. S. Mosher, Labor and truck | 73.50 |
| Tivo Kallio, Labor and truck | 147.00 |
| Theron Bumpus, Labor and truck | 120.00 |
| Arthur Laine, Labor and truck | 73.50 |
| Verni, Halunen, Labor and truck | 73.50 |
| Arne Johnson, Labor and truck | 73.50 |
| Evangeline Senteio, Labor and truck | 75.00 |
| Chas. Kallio, Labor and truck | 73.50 |
| Perez Shurtleff, Labor and truck | 73.50 |
| Florence Washburn, Clerical work | 7.75 |
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| | \$3,021.29 |

OLD HOME DAY

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| Jack L. Martin, Treasurer | \$200.00 |
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LAND DAMAGE — PURCHASE ST.

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| Elsie McKay | \$94.17 |
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| George White | 259.00 |
| Edith L. Griffith | 6.71 |
| Israel Dufresne | 27.10 |
| Frank E. Barrows | 1.00 |
| Clarence Burgess | 5.95 |
| Alton Chandler | 26.10 |
| John J. Beaton | 119.50 |
| Innocence J. Silva | 143.70 |
| Est. of T. T. Vaughan | 2.14 |
| Herbert Vaughan | 49.50 |
| Winslow Veiga | 26.80 |
| Manuel Robeiro | 1.60 |
| Carlos Teixeira | 21.60 |
| Jacinto Furtache | 32.20 |
| Alexander C. McLure | 33.05 |
| Georgia Gariepy | 31.00 |
| Myra H. Hammond | 15.30 |
| Levi O. Atwood | 136.56 |
| Rocky Meadow Cranberry Co. | 40.55 |
| Edaire Brouillard | 57.35 |
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| | \$1,130.88 |

EXCISE REFUNDS

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|-----------------------|---------|
| Hugh R. Bailey | \$2.36 |
| Federal Cranberry Co. | .45 |
| Federal Cranberry Co. | .11 |
| Richard M. Smalley | 3.39 |
| Frank H. Cole | 1.67 |
| Alex Johnson | 8.19 |
| Michael Anthony | 5.89 |
| George Arponen | 3.12 |
| Howard S. Anderson | 1.73 |
| Myron H. Hayden | 3.46 |
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| | \$30.37 |

INTEREST

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| Paid | \$168.33 |
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REPORT OF LIBRARIAN

FINANCIAL REPORT OF 1937

| | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------|---------|
| Jan. 1, 1937 Balance on hand | \$.25 | |
| Received in fines during year | 10.02 | |
| | <hr/> | \$10.27 |
| Paid to Town Treasurer: | | |
| March 6, 1937 | \$2.05 | |
| May 11, 1937 | 1.05 | |
| June 22, 1937 | 1.35 | |
| July 31, 1937 | 1.42 | |
| Sept. 11, 1937 | 1.00 | |
| Oct. 19, 1937 | 1.10 | |
| Nov. 27, 1937 | 1.20 | |
| Dec. 28, 1937 | .90 | |
| Balance on hand January 1, 1938 | .20 | |
| | <hr/> | \$10.27 |
| Number of bound volumes | | 3,806 |
| Total number of volumes circulated | | 6,218 |
| Fiction | | 5,092 |
| Non-Fiction | | 395 |
| Magazines | | 731 |
| Number of Borrowers | | 325 |
| Total number of books added | | 215 |
| Books purchased | | 179 |
| Books presented | | 36 |
| The donors of books: | | |
| Mr. Earle Boardway | | 31 |
| Rev. William I. Ward | | 3 |
| Rosita Boynton | | 1 |
| American Legion Auxiliary | | 1 |
| The magazines purchased in 1937 are: | | |
| Popular Mechanics | | |

Reader's Digest
National Geographic Magazine
Youth's Companion and American Boy (Combined)
Child Life
Life
Good Housekeeping
Better Homes and Gardens
American Home
Red Book

The following papers and magazines were presented to the Library in 1937:

Middleboro Gazette
Plymouth County Farmer
Our Dumb Animals
New England Poultryman
Specialty Salesman

The circulation for 1936 excelled that of 1937 by 1,055 books. Fiction was the most popular choice, mystery and western stories a close second, and non-fiction last. "Gone with the wind" held first place among the popular books, with three copies constantly in circulation.

A book, "The Flowering of New England," was presented in memory of Mrs. Lucy Southworth, a Gold Star Mother, by the American Legion Auxiliary to Julian Southworth Post No. 164.

There were 56 new borrowers in 1937 for which I am grateful.

MYRTLE L. ATWOOD,
Libraian.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND
MEASURES

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen :

Gentlemen :

I wish to submit my report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year 1937.

| | |
|--|---------|
| Scales tested and sealed | 21 |
| Liquid measures tested and sealed | 10 |
| Gasoline pumps tested and sealed | 22 |
| Stops on pumps | 33 |
| Kerosene pumps tested and sealed | 2 |
| Vehicle Tanks tested and sealed (compartments) | 3 |
| Gasoline Meter Systems tested and sealed | 18 |
| Tank Truck Meter Systems tested and sealed | 1 |
| Grease-Measuring Devices tested and sealed | 5 |
| Avoirdupois Weights tested and sealed | 18 |
| Amount expended for equipment etc. | \$28.74 |
| Sealers fees received and paid to town treasurer | 25.87 |
| 4 Platform scales, over 100 lbs. @ 50c | \$2.00 |
| 2 Counter scales, over 100 lbs. @ 50c | 1.00 |
| 1 Beam scale, under 100 lbs. @ 10c | .10 |
| 1 Spring scale, over 100 lbs. @ 50c | .50 |
| 6 Spring scales, under 100 lbs. @ 10c | .60 |
| 7 Computing scales, under 100 lbs. @ 10c | .70 |
| 18 Avoirdupois Weights @ 03c | .54 |
| 10 Liquid Measures (4 @ 10c) (6 @ 03c) | .58 |
| 1 Tank truck meter system | 1.00 |
| Three-Compartment Truck | 6.00 |
| 2 Kerosene Pumps (1 @ 40c) (1@ 50c) | .90 |
| 5 Grease-Measuring Devices @ 10c | .50 |
| 17 Pumps with meter system | 8.50 |
| 5 Gasoline pumps (25 stops) | 2.50 |
| Adjusting charges | .45 |

Respectfully submitted, \$25.87

EDWIN E. BISBEE,
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

REPORT OF INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen;

I hereby submit my report as Inspector of Animals for the year 1937.

| | |
|--------------------------|----|
| Number of cows inspected | 77 |
| Number of young stock | 13 |
| Number of other cattle | 7 |
| Number of pigs | 25 |
| Number of goats | 16 |
| Number of sheep | 1 |

Respectfully submitted,
HILLERY J. BERGMAN,
 Inspector of Animals.

JURY LIST—1937-1938

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|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| Appling, Russell E.—Mechanic | East Carver |
| Blair, Rufus E.—Clerk | Carver |
| Braddock, Milton T.—Laborer | North Carver |
| Bumpus, Ellis D.—Mechanic | South Carver |
| Burbank, Arthur G.—Cranberry Grower | Carver |
| Carmichael, Daniel D.—Truck Driver | East Carver |
| Carmichael, Walter R.—Merchant | Carver |
| Chandler, Warren L.—Cranberry Grower | North Carver |
| Dempsey, Daniel H.—Truck Driver | Carver |
| Griffith, Clyde D.—Dealer | Carver |
| Holmes, Jesse A.—Manufacturer | Carver |
| Johnson, John E.—Cranberry Grower | South Carver |
| Knowlton, Chesley H.—Laborer | East Carver |
| McFarlin, Henry C.—Cranberry Grower | South Carver |
| Martin, Jack L.—Clerk | Carver |
| Shaw, Arthur G.—Laborer | South Carver |
| Shaw, Bernard E.—Cranberry Grower | South Carver |
| Shurtleff, Perez L.—Plumber | Carver |
| Tillson, Bernard E.—Laborer | South Carver |
| Ward, Jay A.—Mechanic | North Carver |
| Washburn, Ralph E.—Cranberry Grower | South Carver |

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen;

I herewith submit the annual report of the Police Department of the Town of Carver for the year ending December 31, 1937.

CRIMES AGAINST PERSONS

| | |
|---------------------------------|-------|
| Assault | 4 |
| Assault to Kill | 1 |
| Assault on a Police Officer | 1 |
| Assault to Rape | 1 |
| Assault with a Dangerous Weapon | 1 |
| Suicide | 2 |
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CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY

| | |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| Breaking and Entering | 7 |
| Concealing Leased Property | 2 |
| Larceny | 8 |
| Malicious Injury to Property | 2 |
| Setting Fires without a Permit | 3 |
| Suspicious Persons | 8 |
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CRIMES AGAINST PUBLIC ORDER

| | |
|--------------------------------------|----|
| Abortion | 1 |
| Delinquency | 1 |
| Deserter from the United States Army | 1 |
| Drunkenness | 16 |
| Forgery | 1 |
| Lewdness | 3 |
| Non-support | 4 |
| Obscene Literature | 2 |
| Peddling unlicensed | 2 |
| Poligomy | 2 |

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| Violation of the Immigration Laws | 1 |
| Violation of the Liquor Laws | 1 |
| Violation of the Motor Vehicle Laws | 149 |
| Weapon Carrying | 1 |
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| | 185 |

MOTOR VIOLATIONS

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|---|----|
| Accidents Investigated | 23 |
| Allowing an improper person to operate | 1 |
| Failing to keep to the right | 3 |
| Improper Lights | 25 |
| Leaving the scene of an accident | 1 |
| Operating without a license | 4 |
| Operating so as to endanger the lives of the public | 25 |
| Operating under the influence of liquor | 9 |
| Speeding | 58 |
| Registrations revoked | 16 |
| Licenses suspended | 42 |
| Motor Vehicle Transfers | 31 |

MISCELLANEOUS

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|--|------------|
| Complaints received | 370 |
| Arrests | 129 |
| Convicts returned to States Prison | 2 |
| Persons reported missing and recovered | 1 |
| Commitments to the Taunton State Hospital | 2 |
| District Court Defaults | 1 |
| Licenses Issued to carry a pistol | 29 |
| Permits Issued to purchase a pistol | 2 |
| Houses inspected weekly | 38 |
| Police Car Mileage for the entire year (Total) | 21,326 Mi. |
| Police Car Mileage for the Welfare Dept. | 2,689 Mi. |

I wish to conclude this report by thanking the Honorable Board of Selectmen, the operators of the local Telephone Exchange and the Townspeople for their kind cooperation during the past year.

MYRON H. HAYDEN,
Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF STREETS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

I hereby submit the following report of the work done by the Highway Department during the year 1937:

CHAPTER 81

| | |
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| Appropriation—Town | \$6,700.00 |
| State | 10,050.00 |

Work done under Chapter 81:

That part of Fosdick road, widened and graveled in 1936, received a tarred surface.

Popes' Point St. was completed with a tar surface.

2800ft. of East Head Road was covered with a tache surface of tar.

1,000ft. of Mayflower Road was gravelled and surfaced with tar.

11,000 gals. of tar were used in treating surfaced roads.

Two miles of Tremont St., High St., one-half of Plympton St., and part of Meadow St., were treated with asphalt.

A non-skid surface was applied to 2,000 ft. of Wenham St. and 500 ft. of Plymouth St.

\$475 was spent in replacing wooden railing with cable guard railing on Main and Tremont Streets.

The remainder of this appropriation was spent for general maintenance.

CHAPTER 90

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|--------------------|------------|
| Appropriation—Town | \$2,000.00 |
| State | 2,799.92 |
| County | 1,399.95 |

Starting at the end of the 1936 construction 3,300 ft. of mixed in place road was constructed on Purchase St.

From this point to straighten the road a new layout was excavated and filled to Main St.

Because of a thirty percent cut in the allotment from the State and County \$500.04 of the Town appropriation was returned to the Town Treasury.

W. P. A.

Under W. P. A. East Head Road was excavated and gravelled from Cranberry Road to the Plymouth line. It is recommended that this road be completed with a hard surface in 1938 under Chapter 90.

Pleasant St. was completed with gravel.

A part of High St. is now being widened and straightened.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK F. WESTON,
Superintendent of Streets.

FOREST WARDENS

FOREST WARDEN

John F. Tubman

Tel. Carver 37

DEPUTY FOREST WARDENS

- | | |
|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Charles Cherry | Tel. Wareham 9323-12 |
| 2. Russell Appling | Tel. Carver 51-4 |
| 3. Earl Ware | Tel. Carver 50 |
| 4. Norman Holmes | Tel. Carver 10-4 |
| 5. Homer Weston | Tel. Carver 8-12 |
| 6. Arne Johnson | Tel. Carver 23-2 |
| 7. Everett Cassidy | Tel. Carver 1-2 |
| 8. Simon Majahad | Tel. Carver 65-11 |
| 9. Russell Holmes | Tel. Wareham 46W4 |
| 10. Thomas Kenney | Tel. Carver 7-4 |
| 11. Ellis Bumpus | Tel. Carver 28-2 |

REPORT OF TREASURER OF OLD HOME DAY
ASSOCIATION

RECEIPTS

| | |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Balance on hand 1936 accounts | \$105.24 |
| Interest | .64 |
| Town Appropriation | 200.00 |
| Dinner Tickets | 825.55 |
| Ice Cream | 123.55 |
| Tonic, cigars etc. | 70.93 |
| Ball Game | 29.41 |
| Dance | 40.65 |
| Remnants | 20.18 |
| Fakirs | 7.00 |
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| | \$1,423.15 |

EXPENDITURES

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|-------------------------------------|--------|
| P. L. Shurtleff (1936) | \$7.55 |
| P. L. Shurtleff, canvases | 28.13 |
| Cosmopolitan Band | 135.00 |
| Joseph Dufresne, clams | 95.63 |
| Farrar's, ice cream | 87.60 |
| Farrar's, Cigars, cigarettes, etc. | 20.74 |
| Roger Weston, ball team | 2.00 |
| Dance expense | 43.45 |
| Norman V. Holmes, supplies | 14.05 |
| P. L. Shurtleff, truck, supplies | 41.62 |
| Henry S. Pink, supplies | 35.68 |
| H. W. Jordan, supplies | 84.90 |
| Walter Carmichael, supplies | 121.22 |
| C. A. Blackman, corn | 28.00 |
| Jesse A. Holmes & Son, material | 62.56 |
| Alonzo F. Ryder Co., Inc., supplies | 1.60 |
| Washburn Bakery Co., rolls | 1.80 |
| T. W. Pierce Hardware Co., supplies | 2.35 |
| Albino Faietti, supplies | 2.00 |
| Plymouth Bottling Works, tonic | 14.55 |

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| P. L. Shurtleff, truck, laundry | 9.13 |
| Eleanor L. Shaw, post cards and postage | 6.63 |
| The Sachem Press, printing | 15.15 |
| Andrew Eames, trucking chairs | 2.00 |
| Rogers Print, printing | 7.00 |
| Roger V. Weston, base balls | 3.75 |
| Pine Grove Ice Co., (1936 & 1937) | 6.20 |
| W. F. Fickert & Son, orange juice | 5.34 |
| Jack L. Martin, auto and postage | 4.80 |

\$890.43

SERVICES

| | |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Heads of Tables and Waiters | \$53.00 |
| Norman V. Holmes | 30.00 |
| Perez L. Shurtleff | 30.00 |
| Aleksius Erickson | 2.50 |
| Roger Dempsey | 18.25 |
| Eleanor L. Shaw | 2.00 |
| Embert Eames | 2.00 |
| Russell Shurtleff | 2.00 |
| Roland Josslyn | 2.00 |
| Andrew Eames | 2.00 |
| James E. Thomas | 8.00 |
| John W. Hacking | 25.25 |
| H. Albert Raymond | 24.50 |
| John F. Tubman | 13.25 |
| Raymond Tubman | 14.50 |
| John Hacking, Jr. | 7.50 |
| James Thomas, Jr. | 1.25 |
| Everett Thomas | 3.00 |
| Ammy Bolduc | 8.00 |
| Napoleon Dionne | 4.00 |
| Stuart Fowler | 3.00 |
| Leo Caron | 4.00 |
| Joseph Pelletier | 4.00 |
| Adelard Manseau | 4.00 |
| Edwin E. Bisbee | 4.00 |
| Harry C. Morris | 4.00 |
| Everett Cassidy | 4.00 |

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|--------------------|-------|
| Allen MacDonald | 6.00 |
| Jack Tobin | 3.00 |
| Mary Dionne | 14.00 |
| Marion Bisbee | 14.00 |
| Nellie Bryant | 14.00 |
| Doris Dionne | 5.70 |
| Mary Braddock | 9.80 |
| Warren Dionne | 7.50 |
| Alice Shurtleff | 6.00 |
| Marjory Telfer | 3.00 |
| Eldred Mosher, Jr. | 4.00 |
| Sadie Wade | 11.25 |
| Edward Lowe | 4.00 |
| Jack L. Martin | 12.50 |
| Nelson Thomas | 4.00 |
| Albert Robbins | 9.25 |

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|------------------------------|-------|------------------|
| | <hr/> | \$408.00 |
| Total Expenses | | <hr/> \$1,298.43 |
| Receipts for year | | \$1,423.15 |
| Expenditures for year | | 1,298.43 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1938 | | \$124.72 |

JACK L. MARTIN,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF COUNTY AID TO AGRICULTURE

Plymouth County Extension Service, Town of Carver,
By Mrs. Almira C. Holmes, Town Director

In presenting the report of Extension Service activities for the town of Carver, I would like to first call your attention to the fact that the Plymouth County Extension Service has been functioning for the betterment of Agriculture, Home Life, and the boys and girls of the County for twenty-three years. It is your organization and its service to you is dependent in large measure upon your desire and request for such services.

Report of Agricultural Work

The County Extension Service endeavors to present useful and practical information to farmers of the County and encourage the application of the same. We aid in securing and presenting information on production, marketing, and assist in cooperative enterprises.

During 1937 much time has been given to the Agricultural Conservation Program. The program is in line with our agricultural teachings and can be of assistance to county farmers. Four hundred and fifty men are expected to receive payments totaling \$25,000.

We have assisted in every way possible various organizations that have requested our services. Among these are the Associations of County Dairymen, Poultrymen, Cranberry Growers, Production Credit, Goat Owners, Bee Keepers, Rural Resettlement, various Fairs, Granges, and Egg Auction.

Thirty-two hundred farmers in the County were supplied with timely information regarding agricultural problems, while 696 farm visits were made.

Home Demonstration Work

It is the aim of Home Economics Extension Work to assist women with problems connected with housekeeping, home management, and family life.

During 1937, in addition to the service given individual homes, sixty-seven groups have been organized for study along some one of the lines indicated above. In January of 1938, sixteen more groups were added to this list. The total enrollment is well over 1500. Two hundred and fifty-seven women have helped in the organization and carrying out of the program. The subjects especially studied during this period have been home management, home grounds improvement, food preservation, furniture re-finishing, chair seating, and clothing. Work has also been included in nutrition, parent education and recreation,

Club Work

In 4-H Club Work, the Extension Service provides for the boys and girls of the County an opportunity for educational development through study and practice in home economics and agriculture, as well as an opportunity for self-improvement. It emphasizes the home, and brings club members and parents together in a common interest. It develops cooperation, leadership, self-confidence, ambition, sportsmanship, ability to think, responsibility and community spirit.

There were 106 4-H Clubs organized in 1937 with an enrollment of 1620 different boys and girls. Those clubs were under the supervision of about 100 volunteer local leaders. All towns and cities in the county had some type of 4-H Club Work this year.

101 are on the mailing list to receive information relating to Poultry, Fruit, Dairy, Market Garden, and Cranberries.

6 calls relating to agriculture were made by the agent.

Enrolling to keep Farm Records, such as Farm Inventories, Farm Accounts, and Poultry Accounts were 3 men.

In the Agricultural Conservation Program for 1937 there were 52 men enrolled and 46 are expected to receive

payments. These men will receive a proportionate amount of some \$25,000 earned this year by county farmers, depending on the size of farm and amount of conservation work carried out by each individual.

Meetings held in the town were on Cranberries and Agricultural Conservation.

Carver men and women have also attended many meetings county-wide in nature.

Eleven enrolled in the 3-year Campaign to control False Blossom.

Home Demonstration Work

The reorganization of the Women's Extension Committee has lead to more Extension work among the women. There have been organized groups in chair seating and garment finishes. A demonstration was given in home cleaners. The women also attended meetings in home ground improvement and clothing selection.

Additional help along various lines has been given by letter, telephone, office call, or home visit.

Club Work

Approximately 40 boys and girls were enrolled as 4-H garden and food club members this year.

Garden club members were visited by the County Club Agent and each garden was scored. Because of the dry season, club members lost many of their crops. This was true not only in Carver, but in most towns of the County.

The food club was under the leadership of Miss Dorothy Valentine and met regularly throughout the club season.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

ROSTER OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT 1938

School Committee

Russell E. Shaw, Chairman, North Carver
Term Expires 1940
Eleanor L. Shaw, Carver
Term Expires 1939
Clyde D. Griffith, Secretary, Carver
Term Expires 1938

Superintendent

Arthur B. Webber, 6 Coombs St., Middleboro, Mass.
Telephone, Middleboro 741.

Teachers

Center School—Helen H. Griffith, Principal

Anne McFarlin
Henry M. Shaw
Marion S. Griffith
Dorothy M. Valentine

North School—Gladys E. Burgess, Principal

Florence Kaski

Benjamin Ellis School—Blanche Holmes, Principal

Florence C. Gordon

Supervisor of Music—Myra E. Sprague

Manual Training—Arnold Telfer

School Nurse—Mary E. Fuller, East Taunton, R. F. D.

School Physician—Dr. L. M. Chase, North Carver.

School Calendar 1938

Winter Term begins January 3; closes February 18

Spring Term begins February 28; closes April 15

Summer Term begins April 25; closes June 10—High
School closes June 24

Fall Term begins September 12; closes December 21—
High School closes December 23

ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

The membership of the committee continues the same.

Changes in the personnel of teachers and transfers of teachers are covered in the report of the superintendent.

We hope that it will be possible to provide improvements in sanitation at center and North Carver during 1938. To this end we direct your attention to such report and suggestions as may be made by the Special Committee authorized at the last annual Town meeting.

Respectfully,

RUSSELL E. SHAW,
ELEANOR L. SHAW,
CLYDE D. GRIFFITH,

School Committee.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE
SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER 31, 1937

| | |
|--------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation | \$31,181.00 |
| Pratt Fund | 138.24 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$31,319.24 |
| Expenditures | 30,711.56 |
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| Balance Unexpended | \$607.68 |

SUPERVISION AND LAW ENFORCEMENT

| | | |
|--------------------|------------|------------|
| School Committee: | | |
| Salaries | \$336.00 | |
| Expenses | 96.61 | |
| Superintendent: | | |
| Salary | \$1,000.00 | |
| Travel | 133.33 | |
| Expenses | 19.15 | |
| School Census | 25.00 | |
| Attendance Officer | 30.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$1,640.09 |

EXPENSE OF INSTRUCTION

| | | |
|------------|-----------|-------------|
| Supervisor | \$147.50 | |
| Teachers | 10,101.50 | |
| Text Books | 319.46 | |
| Supplies | 646.19 | |
| | <hr/> | \$11,214.65 |

OPERATING EXPENSES

| | | |
|-------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Janitor's Salaries | \$1,250.00 | |
| Fuel | 1,007.99 | |
| Cleaning, Lights, Power, Etc. | 376.11 | |
| | <hr/> | \$2,634.10 |

MAINTENANCE OF PROPERTY

| | | |
|-------------------|----------|----------|
| Repairs | \$734.42 | |
| Fire Insurance | 167.05 | |
| Boiler Inspection | 10.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$911.47 |

TRANSPORTATION

| | | |
|-------------|------------|------------|
| High School | \$3,615.86 | |
| Local | 4,798.85 | |
| | <hr/> | \$8,414.71 |

OTHER PAYMENTS

| | | |
|---------------|------------|------------|
| Tuition | \$4,912.40 | |
| Health | 231.00 | |
| New Equipment | 649.27 | |
| Miscellaneous | 103.87 | |
| | <hr/> | \$5,896.54 |

Total Expenditures \$30,711.56

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Appropriation | | \$510.00 |
| Expenditures | | 119.40 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Balance Unexpended | | \$390.60 |
| Tuition to Quincy Trade School | \$63.40 | |
| Transportation to Quincy Trade School | 56.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$119.40 |

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the School Committee of Carver :

Herewith I submit my fifteenth report as Superintendent of Schools. In the reorganization of the teaching force due to the small number of first graders at South Carver, the following changes were deemed wise. Grades One and Two at both North and South Carver were assigned to a teacher, and the same arrangement made for Grades Three and Four.

As the number of pupils found to be three years mentally retarded fell below the ten making a special class compulsory, that class was dropped. This allowed the employment of a teacher of Domestic Science for the girls of the Seventh and Eighth Grades, and the introduction of wood work for the boys. A class in General Science was opened which should materially improve the standing of our freshmen in High School.

Mr. Henry M. Shaw was elected to the position in the Fifth Grade and given the General Science work. Miss Dorothy M. Valentine a graduate of the State Teachers' College at Framingham was chosen to teach the domestic science and assist in coaching those pupils transferred from the special class. As Mrs. MacCleave was unable to resume her duties as Supervisor of Music due to illness, Miss Myra Sprague, formerly supervisor in Brattleboro, Vt. was appointed for the year.

The results of our achievement tests showed such a wide range of reading ability in all grades that special attention is being given the slower readers. Due undoubtedly to this situation, many children found it difficult to grasp the captions in the silent moving picture. The purchase of a sound equipment so generously made by your

committee, should do much to remedy this, and also increase greatly this phase of education.

It is a source of regret to the teachers and the superintendent that the parents have not responded to the effort to revive the Parent-Teacher Association which previously functioned so well at North Carver. The lack of interest manifest at the time of the 4-H Club program and also at the Christmas entertainment, which reflected the greatest credit upon the children and those who trained them, was certainly discouraging to future efforts.

The reasons for co-operation between parents and teachers are numerous and imperative. The scope of education has been expanded to include many phases of development. Where previously it dealt only along lines of mental activity with fact gathering as its chief objective, we now find it as a series of experiences in living, seeking to secure to each child a well-rounded development in which the physical, mental and emotional are all considered. This can only be accomplished when the mutual understanding necessary for wise guidance become possible. It is vital that home and school be in accord as to objectives, for the child who finds one line of conduct approved at school and another at home, is confused and often becomes the problem whose obstreperousness is merely due to maladjustment. The Parent-Teacher Association by bringing the parent and teacher in more intimate relation, by making available to all parents libraries, lectures and discussions by speakers of authority, does much to smooth the path for both teacher and parent. Seven points have been suggested on which parents should be informed with reference to public education,—namely, instruction, finance, buildings, teachers, sanitation, health and administration. The Parent-Teacher Association is the logical channel through which the parent may become informed on these points. A review of the contributions of the Parent-Teacher movement to education makes it evident that this great body of over two million fathers, mothers and teachers is not only beneficial to the school but has become absolutely indispensable.

Until recently the elementary school emphasized instruction and drill in the mechanical habits associated with oral reading. In 1920 a shift in practice to rapid silent reading was made. Today, while retaining the formal instruction and drill in basic reading habits, we think of reading not as a subject but as a highly specialized set of skills to be used in every type of school activity. This modern curriculum furnishes a motive for reading, compels reading over a wide range of subjects, and provides a situation in which the knowledge gained from reading is utilized constantly.

To-day the average pupil is required to read approximately fifteen times as much as one at the same level of instruction read in 1900. In many lines of work an office employee must read 500% more than was required at the beginning of the century. In our testing program we find a wide range of reading ability in every grade. Eye-movement photographs of over 3000 subjects of all ages taken at random from various sections, revealed that not more than 25% of them were reading with real efficiency.

In this new concept of reading the efficient reader must be able not only to recognize instantly the printed symbols and comprehend their meaning, but to interpret and apply the information so gained. It is also recognized that listening and reading are essentially the same process. The stimulus differs, but the reaction is the same. The reading teacher then is developing not only the ability to gain ideas from the printed page, but to re-act intelligently to the radio and the motion picture. She is primarily responsible for the establishment of the habits and skills underlying this highly specialized activity. The first step in reading efficiency is the instantaneous recognition of the printed symbol, and the teacher's efforts are futile if the pupil is prevented by visual inefficiencies from responding to the educational techniques.

Scientific data showed that some of the most common types of reading disability are due to visual inefficiencies

that can be corrected. Here the active co-operation of the parent is most necessary.

Two invaluable aids to the teacher in solving the causes of these difficulties should be in every school system,—the Ophthalm-O-Graph which gives a record of the eye-movements, and the Metron-O-Scope for group training.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR B. WEBBER.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

January 1, 1938. ,

Mr. Arthur B. Webber,
Superintendent of Schools,
Carver, Massachusetts.

Dear Sir :

I am pleased to submit to you a report of the health work carried out in the public schools during the year 1937.

The usual program has been followed this year, with the regular physical examinations by the school physician, weighing and measuring, correction of defects, inspections and special clinics.

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----|
| School visits | 135 |
| Home visits | 119 |
| Pre-school visits in August | 60 |

All grades are weighed and measured three times a year.

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|--------------------------------|----|
| Defect notices sent home | 76 |
| Defect notices for poor vision | 9 |
| Tonsils and adenoids | 67 |
| Defects corrected | 5 |

Diphtheria Prevention Clinic, Dr. L. M. Chase, School physician.

| | |
|--------------------|----|
| Number of children | 26 |
| 5 Pre-school | |

Clinic for retarded children, Taunton Traveling Clinic.

| | |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Complete family histories | 7 |
| Mental and physical examinations | 7 |

General Health Education

Study meetings 4

Professional meetings attended 7

In conclusion, may I thank you and all those associated in any way with my work in the schools for the Co-operation and interest shown during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. FULLER,

School Nurse.

AGE—GRADE DISTRIBUTION—OCTOBER 1, 1937

| Ages Grade | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 | 15 | Total |
|---------------|----------------|-----|------|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|----|-------|
| I | B-G 1-2 5-7 | | 6-0 | | | | | | | | | 21 |
| II | 1-0 | 7-8 | 4-1 | 0-1 | | | | | | | | 22 |
| III | | 2-2 | 12-6 | 3-5 | 1-1 | 1-0 | | | | | | 33 |
| IV | | | 4-0 | 10-5 | 3-1 | 1-1 | | | | | | 25 |
| V | | | | 3-2 | 4-4 | 2-2 | 1-1 | 1-1 | 1-0 | | | 22 |
| VI | | | | 1-1 | 1-3 | 5-6 | 5-0 | 3-1 | | | | 26 |
| VII | | | | | | 0-1 | 4-4 | 6-4 | 1-1 | 1-0 | | 22 |
| VIII | | | | | | | 3-3 | 9-7 | 3-2 | 1-0 | | 28 |
| Total | | | | | | | | | | | | 199 |

ATTENDANCE AND MEMBERSHIP

| School Center | Grade | Aggregate Attendance | Average Daily Attendance | Average Member- ship | Percent of Attendance | Tardines |
|------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|----------|
| | Grade VIII | 3574.0 | 20.9 | 22.00 | 95.65 | 2 |
| | Grade VII | 4602.5 | 26.4 | 28.56 | 94.51 | 10 |
| | Grade VI | 396.0 | 23.2 | 24.9 | 92.00 | 4 |
| | Grade V | 4502.5 | 26.48 | 27.35 | 96.88 | 0 |
| | Grade IV | 2815.0 | 16.50 | 17.07 | 96.60 | 4 |
| | North | | | | | |
| | Grade III & II | 4150.5 | 24.37 | 26.28 | 92.68 | 30 |
| | Benjamin Ellis | | | | | |
| | Grade I | 3409.0 | 19.88 | 22.15 | 90.15 | 0 |
| | Grade III & II | 4455.5 | 26.12 | 28.07 | 93.44 | 8 |
| | Special | 1040.8 | 8.17 | 9.1 | 87.7 | 5 |

GRADUATION EXERCISES
CARVER GRAMMAR SCHOOL

June 10, 1937

| | |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| invocation | <i>Rev. Waldo Dunn</i> |
| Music | <i>Chorus</i> |
| Water Lilies | <i>Buck</i> |
| Nights and Days | <i>Gluck</i> |
| A Merry Life | <i>Danza</i> |

HORACE MANN PAGEANT

PROLOG

| | |
|-----------|----------------------|
| Education | <i>Florence Shaw</i> |
| Democracy | <i>Blanche Roby</i> |

PILGRIM SCENE

| | |
|-----------------|----------------------|
| Minuet | |
| June Shaw | <i>Martha Kallio</i> |
| Ethelwyn Morris | <i>Barbara Shaw</i> |

EPISODE I

| | |
|-----------|----------------------------|
| Democracy | <i>Pauline Eames</i> |
| Education | <i>Priscilla Shurtleff</i> |

FIRST INCIDENT

Boyhood Struggles

| | |
|-------------|--------------------------|
| Horace Mann | <i>Oiva Harju</i> |
| Storekeeper | <i>Arthur Thatcher</i> |
| Men | <i>John Johnson, Jr.</i> |
| | <i>Alfred Blake</i> |
| | <i>Ralph Fernanderz</i> |

Time: 1813

Place: Village Store

SECOND INCIDENT

Mr. Barrett's Influence

| | |
|----------------|-------------------|
| Horace Mann | Roy Connor |
| Mr. Barrett | George Raymond |
| Mercia | Arlene Linton |
| George | Wendell Holmes |
| Other Children | Gordon Dempsey |
| | Ruth Ellis |
| | Ralph Linton, Jr. |
| | Mary Salmi |

Time: About 1818

Place: Schoolroom in the afternoon

THIRD INCIDENT

A Young Lawyer's Vision

| | |
|--------------|----------------|
| Morace Mann | Leo Majahad |
| Judge | Frank Amado |
| Other Lawyer | Reino Paananen |

Time: About 1830

Place: Law Court in Mass.

EPISODE II

The Statesmen — Struggle for Reforms

| | |
|-----------|----------------|
| Democracy | Irene Ware |
| Education | Phyllis Bryant |

EPISODE III

| | |
|-----------|-----------------|
| Democracy | Alice Gonsalves |
| Education | Louise Silva |

SCENE I

Discussion of a College Education for Girls

| | |
|----------|--------------------|
| Father | John Paananen |
| Daughter | Hazel Wrightington |
| Son | Curtis Shaw |
| 2nd Son | Dana Thomas |

EPILOG

| | |
|--------------------------|--|
| Education | <i>Olive Wrightington</i> |
| Democrack | <i>Winona Chandler</i> |
| Presentation of Diplomas | |
| | <i>Russell E. Shaw, Chairman of School Board</i> |
| Music | <i>Chorus</i> |
| To A Wild Rose | <i>MacDowell</i> |
| Now the Day is Over | |
| Benediction | <i>Rev. Waldo Dunn</i> |

LIST OF GRADUATES

| | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Frank Amado, Jr. | Reino William Paananen |
| Alfred Robert Blake | Blanche Elizabeth Roby |
| Phyllis Marie Bryant | Louise Elizabeth Silva |
| Winona Nellie Chandler | Curtis Franklin Shaw |
| Pauline Mildred Eames | Florence Agnes Shaw |
| Ralph Henry Fernanderz | Priscilla Russell Shurtleff |
| Alice May Gonsalves | Adthur Peter Thatcher |
| Oiva Harju | Dana Edward Thomas |
| John Elmer Johnson, Jr. | Irene Ware |
| Leo Joseph Majahad | Hazel Marie Wrightington |
| John Edward Paananen | Olive May Wrightington |

TOWN WARRANT AND REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE

Plymouth, ss. To either of the Constables of the Town of Carver, Plymouth County, Greeting:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are directed to notify the Inhabitants of the Town of Carver qualified to vote in elections and in town affairs to meet at the Town Hall in said Carver on Monday, the seventh day of March 1938, at two o'clock in the afternoon, then and there to act on the following article, namely:

Article 1. To choose all necessary town officers, the following officers to be voted for all on one ballot, viz:—Moderator, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes, Three Auditors, Three Constables, Three Herring Committeemen, one Tree Warden, and one Highway Surveyor, each for one year. One Assessor, One Selectman, One School Committeeman, One Cemetery Commissioner, One Park Commissioner, One Member of Public Welfare and Two Library Trustees, each for Three years, and One Park Commissioner for two years, and to vote by ballot "Yes" or "No" in answer to the following questions: "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of all alcoholic beverages?" and "Shall licenses be granted for the sale of wines and malt beverages?"

The polls will be open for at least four hours.

And you are directed to further notify said Inhabitants of said town that as soon as the ballots have been counted the meeting will adjourn to Tuesday, March 8th, 1938, at nine o'clock A. M. and at that time will reconvene at said

Town Hall in said Carver, then and there to act on the following articles, namely :

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1938, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 2. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 3. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year.

Article 3. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 4. To see if the town will vote to appropriate a sum of money not to exceed eight hundred dollars (\$800.00) from the free cash in the town treasury for the sole purpose of meeting charges against the cemetery funds in the town treasury, all monies expended under this vote to be refunded before the end of the current year.

Article 4. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 5. To see if the town will vote to accept the cemetery fund or funds paid into the town treasury under the perpetual care statutes, or act anything thereon.

Article 5. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 6. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to prosecute, compromise or defend suits for or against the town.

Article 6. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 7. To see what disposition the town will make of the dog fund.

Article 7. Recommended by Finance Committee to be added to Library Account.

Article 8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for the observance of Memorial Day and act thereto.

Article 8. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 9. To see what amount the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the use of the Plymouth County Trustees for County Aid to Agriculture (Plymouth County Extension Service) and to choose a town director as provided in Sections 41 and 42 Revised Chapter 128 of the General Laws and act thereon.

Article 9. Recommended by Finance Committee, \$100.00 be appropriated.

Article 10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed One hundred dollars (\$100.00) for rental for the American Legion. Money to be paid to the Treasurer of the Sons of Veterans and act thereon or thereto.

Article 10. Recommended by Finance Committee, \$100.00 be appropriated.

Article 11. To see what pay the town will vote the Treasurer, Town Clerk, Collector of Taxes and other Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Article 11. Recommended by Finance Committee that \$600.00 be paid Treasurer, \$300.00 Clerk, and \$600.00 Collector, and the Pay of the Selectmen, Board of Public Welfare, Assessors, School Committee, Park Commissioners, Cemetery Commissioners, Tree Warden, and Auditors be the same as in 1937, and the pay of the High-

way Surveyor be same as that of the Supt. of Streets in 1937.

Article 12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) provided allotments are received from the State and County, under Chapter 90, General Laws, for surfacing East Head Road and any balance to apply on Purchase St. Said appropriation to be expended in the proportion of two by the town, four by the state, and two by the county, based on the sums allotted by State and County, and act thereon or thereto.

Article 12. Recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the special committee on school housing conditions to petition for legislation to borrow for the purpose of remodeling the Center School and the North School, or take any action relative thereto.

Article 13. Not recommended by Finance Committee.

Article 14. To see if the Town will approve the report of the special traffic light committee appointed at the annual town meeting in 1937 and vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money for installation purposes, and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 14. Not recommended by the Finance Committee.

In voting to not recommend this article the Finance Committee feel that the special traffic light committee has not offered a sufficiently comprehensive study and report of the traffic light situation to permit the people at Town Meeting to intelligently vote on this article; and the Finance Committee recommend that the whole traffic light situation in the town be studied by the same or a newly appointed committee for the purpose of bringing to the next Town Meeting definite recommendations with esti-

mates of total cost of installing a different form of traffic signal at the more dangerous intersections of the Town and doing away of the present dummies or blinkers.

Article 15. To choose all necessary Town officers not elected by ballot.

Article 16. To see if the Town will vote to take Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) from the Free Cash in the Treasury, said sum to be used for the purpose of reduction in taxes for 1938.

Article 16. Recommended by the Finance Committee.

Article 17. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$500.00 (Five hundred dollars) for Land Damage on High and Brook Streets and act anything thereon or thereto.

Article 17. Not recommended by Finance Committee.

And you are directed to serve this warrant by posting up attested copies thereof, at the several places designated by vote of the town seven days at least before the time of holding said meeting.

Hereof fail not and make due returns of this warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk at the time and place of meeting aforesaid.

Given under our hands this 31st day of January in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-Eight.

EARL B. WARE,
ARTHUR W. PETERSON,
BERNARD W. ROBY,
Selectmen of Carver.

Finance Committee,
JESSE A. HOLMES, Chairman
ERNEST W. SHAW, Secretary.

SUMMARY OF SELECTMEN OF APPROPRIATIONS, BALANCES
AND RECOMMENDATIONS

Tabulated for the Use of the Voters in the Town Meeting, March 8, 1938.

| | Appropriation 1937 | Spent | Overdraft | Ret'd to Treasury | Recommended By Selectmen | Recommended By Finance Committee |
|---|-----------------------|------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| General Government | \$6,160.00 | \$6,428.62 | \$268.62 | | \$6,360.00 | \$6,360.00 |
| General Govt. Ov'draft 1937 | | | | | 268.62 | 268.62 |
| Unclassified & Memorial Day | 700.00 | 688.63 | | \$11.37 | 700.00 | 700.00 |
| Reserve Fund | 700.00 | 309.76 | | 390.24 | 700.00 | 700.00 |
| Health | 2,500.00 | 2,316.15 | | 183.85 | 2,200.00 | 2,200.00 |
| Public Welfare | 7,000.00 | 9,669.38 | 2,669.38 | | 7,000.00 | 7,000.00 |
| Public Welfare Ov'draft 1937 | | | | | 2,669.38 | 2,669.38 |
| Work Relief 12/18/37 | 2,000.00 | | | | | |
| Old Age Assistance, Town | 5,000.00 | 5,233.74 | 233.74 | | | |
| Old Age Asst., U. S. Grant | 4,098.86 | 4,098.86 | | | | |
| Old Age Asst. Total | \$9,098.86 | \$9,332.60 | \$233.74 | | \$6,000.00 | \$6,000.00 |
| O. Age Asst., Town, Ov'draft 1937 | | | | | 233.74 | 233.74 |
| Mothers' Aid & Aid to Dependent Children | 100.00 | 266.85 | | | | |

| | Appropriation 1937 | Spent | Overdraft | Ret'd to Treasury | Recommended By Selectmen | Recommended By Finance Committee |
|--|-----------------------|------------------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Mothers' Aid-U. S. Grant | 20.00) | | | | | |
| Mothers' Aid-Total | <u>\$120.00</u> | <u>\$266.85</u> | 146.85 | | 450.00 | 450.00 |
| Mothers' Aid & Aid to Dependent Children Ov'draft 1937 | | | | | 146.85 | 146.85 |
| Soldiers' Relief | 600.00 | 735.85 | 135.85 | | 600.00 | 600.00 |
| Soldiers' Relief Ov'draft 1937 | | | | | 135.85 | 135.85 |
| Police | 2,145.00 | 2,244.27 | 99.27 | | 2,351.00 | 2,351.00 |
| Police Overdraft 1937 | | | | | 99.27 | 99.27 |
| Public Safety | 125.00 | 106.54 | | \$18.46 | 150.00 | 150.00 |
| Chapter 81, Town | 6,700.00) | | | | | |
| Chapter 81, State | 10,050.00) | | | | | |
| Chapter 81, Total | <u>16,750.00</u> | <u>16,749.97</u> | | 20.11 | 6,500.00 | 6,500.00 |
| Purchase St. Chap. 90 Town | 2,000.00) | | | | | |
| Purchase St. Chap. 90 State | 2,800.00) | | | | | |
| Purchase St. Chap. 90 County | 1,400.00) | | | | | |
| Purchase St. Chap. 90 Total | <u>6,200.00</u> | <u>5,699.83</u> | | 500.17 | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 |

| | Appropriation 1937 | Spent | Overdraft | Ret'd to Treasury | Recommended By Selectmen | Recommended By Finance Committee |
|---|-----------------------|----------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Road Machinery | 500.00 | 418.19 | | 81.81 | 500.00 | 500.00 |
| General Highways | 800.00 | 799.67 | | .33 | 500.00 | 500.00 |
| Bridges | 500.00 | 497.73 | | 2.27 | 500.00 | 500.00 |
| Removal of Snow | 500.00 | 171.65 | | 328.35 | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
| W. P. A. Account | 2,750.00) | | | | | |
| W. P. A., On hand 1/1/37 | 503.31) | | | | | |
| <hr/> | | | | | | |
| W. P. A. Account total | 3,253.31 | 3,021.29 | | | 1,200.00 | 1,200.00 |
| W. P. A. bal. on hand 1/1/38 \$232.02 | | | | | | |
| Fires | 500.00 | 412.27 | | 87.73 | 500.00 | 500.00 |
| Fire Equipment | 670.00 | 657.31 | | 12.69 | 614.00 | 614.00 |
| Cemeteries | 850.00 | 849.69 | | .31 | 760.00 | 760.00 |
| Central Cemetery— Purchase | 100.00) | | | | | |
| From Reserve Fund for Central Cemetery Pur- chase | *55.00) | | | | | |
| Central Cemetery Pur- chase—total | 155.00 | 150.00 | | | | |
| Central Cemetery On hand 1/1/38 \$5.00 | | | | | | |
| Central Cemetery Fence | 90.00 | | | | | |

| | Appropriation 1937 | Spent | Overdraft | Ret'd to Treasury | Recommended By Selectmen | Recommended By Finance Committee |
|--|-----------------------|-----------|-----------|----------------------|-----------------------------|--|
| Central Cemetery Account | 500.00 | 206.30 | | | | |
| Central Cemetery Ac- count On hand 1/1/38 | | | | | | |
| \$293.70 | | | | | | |
| Parks | 300.00 | 299.93 | | .07 | 250.00 | 250.00 |
| Library | 200.00) | | | | | |
| Library—Dog fund | 269.44) | | | | | |
| Library—total | <u>469.44</u> | 468.77 | | .67 | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| Weights & Measures | 150.00 | 135.54 | | 14.46 | Plus Dog Fund 150.00 | 150.00 |
| Tree Warden | 750.00 | 749.69 | | .31 | 750.00 | 750.00 |
| Gypsy Moth | 1,275.50 | 1,274.28 | | 1.22 | 1,275.50 | 1,275.50 |
| Schools | 31,181.00 | 30,711.56 | | 469.44 | 31,955.00 | 31,955.00 |
| Vocational Education | 510.00 | 119.40 | | 390.60 | | |
| Debt—School House | 2,000.00 | 2,000.00 | | | | |
| Interest | 200.00 | 168.33 | | 31.67 | 125.00 | 125.00 |
| Aid to Agriculture | 100.00 | 100.00 | | | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| American Legion Rent | 75.00 | 75.00 | | | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| Old Home Day | 100.00 | 100.00 | | | 200.00 | 200.00 |
| By Laws Committee | 25.00 | | | | | |
| Land Damage—Purchase | | | | | | |
| St. On hand 1/1/37 | 280.76) | | | | | |
| Land Damage—Purchase | | | | | | |
| St. | 200.00) | | | | | |

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